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TROOP TRAIN BLOWN UP: HEAVY CASUALTIES

KOWLOON TRAGEDY Four Workmen Die From Effects Of Gas FIVE SUFFOCATED ABOARD THE TALAMBA

Overcome by the effects of a certain gas, four Chinese workmen met their death under tragic circumstances aboard the British India Steam Navigation Company Limited's vessel Talamba yesterday morning, according to a police report.

The Talamba, which was swept ashore at Devil's Point in Lyeemun Pass by the typhoon on the morning of September 2, was successfully refloated a week ago and since then the liner has been berthed off the Kowloon Docks with her bow submerged to the white line in which condition she was towed from Lyeemun Pass last Sunday.

It appears that when she grounded she had a cargo of rice in one of her holds. This became waterlogged and a certain gas emanated as a result.

Yesterday, about 9.15 a.m. a leakage from the full hold into an

empty hold occurred. A workman went down the empty hold in an attempt to stop the leakage. He had not got down the whole distance when he was overcome by the gas and collapsed. Another workman went to the rescue of his colleague and he too was overcome. A similar fate befell the third and fourth men. All four died. The bodies were removed to the mortuary.

Five others, who also suffered from the effects of suffocation, were later conveyed to the Kowloon Hospital.

Doctors and police officers were summoned to the scene and commenced investigations.

JAPANESE RAIN 140 BOMBS ON CHINKIANG MANY CHINESE RESIDENTS FEARED AMONG CASUALTIES

JAPANESE AUTHORITIES' ADVICE TO FOREIGN SHIPPING

NANKING, NOVEMBER 28: ABOUT 140 BOMBS WERE RAINED ON CHINKIANG BY JAPANESE PLANES WHOSE MAIN OBJECTIVE APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN TO HALT THE ATTEMPTS TO STRENGTHEN THE BOOM. A FEW BRITISH AND AMERICAN RESIDENTS TOOK REFUGE IN H.M.S. APHIS. THERE WERE NO CASUALTIES BUT A LARGE NUMBER OF CHINESE ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN KILLED AND INJURED. A BOMB REPORTEDLY DAMAGED A BRITISH-OWNED HULK WHILE ANOTHER CAUSED A CRATER IN THE ASIATIC PETROLEUM COMPANY'S COMPOUND. JAPANESE PLANES ALSO HEAVILY BOMBED SUANCHEN, TWENTY MILES SOUTH-EAST OF WUHU. AN ENTIRE TROOP TRAIN WAS BLOWN UP THE CASUALTIES RUNNING INTO HUNDREDS. CHINESE AUTHORITIES HAVE WARNED BRITISH AND OTHER SHIPS TO GO UP RIVER BEFORE NOVEMBER 30 UNLESS THEY WISH TO BE TRAPPED BELOW THE CHINKIANG BOOM IN WHICH AN OPENING STILL ALLOWS PASSAGE.—REUTER.

Shanghai, November 28: The Japanese authorities have unofficially advised foreign ships to regard Chinkiang as a danger zone. A boom was recently erected at Chinkiang which will be the pivot of a strong line of defence for Nanking. Chinkiang will be exposed to Japanese naval bombardment once the boom at Kiangyin is breached and minefields are swept.

Meanwhile, the Japanese authorities state, Nanking city is anxiously hoping that the Japanese will agree to the proposed safety zone as the question will become increasingly urgent because if the Japanese thrust to Wuhu is successful and Nanking is isolated and then attacked, heavy loss of life among Chinese non-combatants is likely.

British residents in Nanking have been given printed notices in English and Chinese for display on their premises. The notices state, "This is British property and must not be interfered with by unauthorised persons."—REUTER.

HONG KONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION

Record Attendance At First Sunday Shoot

If any doubt existed in the mind of anyone in the Colony regarding the popularity of rifle-shooting on Sunday mornings, they were indeed rudely dispelled yesterday, when the Hong Kong Rifle Association held its first Sunday Spoon and Practice Shoot, Revolver Shoot, and Clay-bird Shoot.

The attendance was easily a record, over 160 members and friends being present.

This is the first opportunity apart from the Sunday which occurs during the annual Prize Meeting, for members of all the affiliated units and Clubs to come together on the Army Ranges at Kowloon City, and this possibility was taken advantage of to the full.

with the result that target accommodation was taxed to capacity.

Weather conditions were difficult, for a tricky wind, with a changing light were two factors which proved to be the undoing of many other-wise good scores.

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JAPAN TELLS BRITAIN

To Maintain Strict Neutrality

Tokyo, Nov. 28. Fifty thousand residents of Tokyo, at a mass meeting at Shiba Park, made a resolution appealing to Britain to "cease giving assistance to China and to sever relations with Russia" and also urged Britain to "maintain strict neutrality in the Sino-Japanese conflict."—REUTER.

TELEPHONIC COMMUNICATION DISRUPTED

Canton, Nov. 28. An unknown number of Japanese planes bombed the Canton-Kowloon Railway this morning disrupting telephonic communication with Hong Kong. The planes also visited Canton bombing the northern and eastern suburbs. The damage done and casualties are at present unknown.—REUTER.

REFUSE TO SERVE JAPANESE

Chinese Ready To Go On Strike

Shanghai, Nov. 28. Declaring their refusal to serve the Japanese, Chinese employees in the postal, telegraph and other Chinese Government offices in the International Settlement are ready to go on strike should the enemy use force to take over these organs. This stand is to show that the Chinese national spirit cannot be subdued and that there is no co-existence with the invaders.—International News Agency.

THE DOLLAR

T.T. ON NEW YORK: 30-7/8.
T.T. ON LONDON: 1s. 2 1/2/32d.

London Silver Market

(From Our Own Correspondent).
London, Nov. 27.
London silver prices to-day were unchanged as follows:—
Nov. 28. Nov. 27.
Spot.....19-11/16 19-11/16
Forward.....19-9/16 19-9/16

AMERICA FORMALLY LODGES PROTEST

Interference With Chinese Customs

Washington, Nov. 27. The United States Government has formally expressed its concern to the Japanese Government respecting any attempt to interfere with the integrity of the Chinese Maritime Customs system.

It is not known here what action, if any, the United States will take in the event of an unfavourable response from Tokyo, but it is presumed that Anglo-American consultation will ensue. Political quarters feel that the Administration has recently been soft-pedalling the forthright policy announced by President Roosevelt in Chicago on account of the adverse reaction in the Senate. They predict, therefore, that the Government will not stick to its neck very far in dealing with the Japanese designs on the administrative functions formerly exercised by the Chinese in the Shanghai area.—REUTER.

FIRM BRITISH STAND

London, Nov. 27.

It is learned in official circles in London that the British Ambassador in Tokyo has been authorised to leave the Japanese Government in no doubt whatsoever that the British Government claim to be consulted on any arrangement made about the Chinese Maritime Customs.

Besides the British Government, the United States and French Governments are interested in loans secured on the Chinese Customs, and there has been constant consultation and com-

the three governments over the question.

When the French Premier and Foreign Minister meet Mr. Neville Chamberlain and Mr. Anthony Eden, in London on Monday, it is presumed that the position at Shanghai will be raised during the talks on the international situation as a whole.—REUTER.

FRENCH ACTION

Paris: It is understood that the French Ambassador in Tokyo has received instructions to inform the Japanese Government that the French Government claim to be consulted in any arrangements about the Chinese Customs, similar to the claim by Britain.—REUTER.

GOLF TITLE First Round Results

The first round of the championship of the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club was played at Fanling yesterday and resulted as follows: L. R. Andrews beat E. T. McMullen 4 and 2; A. E. Lissaman beat W. J. S. Key 4 and 3; Major E. C. B. Shannon beat D. J. Gilmore 5 and 4; O. E. C. Marton beat K. S. Robertson 5 and 4; Dr. I. Newton beat T. A. Pearce 4 and 3; D. S. Robb beat I. P. Tamworth two up; D. S. Edward beat the Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith 3 and 2; Col. H. H. Blake beat R. Young one hole.

GEN. HSIAO JUI-CHIN

To Head "Autonomous" Honan Government

Shanghai, Nov. 28. According to a Japanese report from Changteh, General Hsiao Jui-chin, once divisional commander under Wu Pei-fu, has been chosen to head the newly established Honan "Autonomous" Government and Changteh has been selected as the temporary seat of the administration.—REUTER.

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ST. ANDREW

VICAR AND SAINT'S NATIONALITY!

Foregatherings An Attack On The Community

Preaching in St. Andrew's Church yesterday morning, the Vicar, the Rev. J. R. Higgs, in the course of his sermon, said:—

It is not too much to say that at this time of the year St. Andrew is by far the most popular saint in Christendom. For that we have to thank our brothers from the north of the Tweed. They see to it that he is!

Wherever Scotsmen inhabit the earth their Patron Saint will never be numbered with the unremembered Saints of the Church.

Their annual foregatherings have almost become an attack on the community. But we love them for it. Their annual celebrations lend colour to a drab world in more senses than one.

Here at this Church of St. Andrew which is of the Church of England, I confess that these annual festivities are a little disconcerting. I feel that any local Scotsman could come to us on our Patronal Festival and accuse us of stealing his saint!

On second thoughts, though, I feel fairly confident that if in the days of his flesh on the shores of Gallilee St. Andrew had been asked of his nationality it wouldn't have occurred to him that he was Scotch, so maybe the danger is not so real as it seems.

Perhaps Christendom as a whole may claim him as its own.

VICTORY MARCH CONTEMPLATED

In International Settlement

Shanghai, Nov. 28.

A victory march over the International Settlement by the Japanese army and bluejackets on Nov. 30 is under contemplation. The route will begin from Bubbling Well Road to Nanking Road, the Bund and Garden Bridge.

The troops will be equipped in full marching order including a parade of tanks, armoured cars and possibly war trophies.

For fear that the contemplated march may lead to undesirable results, the Shanghai Municipal Council has asked the Consular Body to stop the demonstration.—International News Agency.

TRAIN SERVICE ON C.K.R.

To Be Resumed Thursday

Canton, Nov. 28: Whilst repairs are being rushed to the track and bridges damaged by Japanese aerial bombings, train service on the Canton-Kowloon Railway which was suspended yesterday will probably not be resumed until next Thursday, it is learned from railway circles to-day.

Meanwhile, trains on the Kowloon section are running as usual.—Central News.

To Defend Nanking At Any Price

FOREIGNERS ADVISED TO LEAVE

Nanking, Nov. 28: Determination of the Chinese high command to defend Nanking at any price and to make the sacrifice as costly as possible to the enemy was expressed by General Tang Sheng-chi, Garrison Commander at Nanking, in a statement advising foreigners who are able to leave to go.

General Tang Sheng-chi promised to do his utmost to ensure the safety of the foreigners but he pointed out that the retreating troops, harassed by bombs and shells and subjected to other nerve-racking strain might create disorders.

He added that no Chinese troops will be allowed to come within a radius of 50 kilometres from Nanking except on the understanding that if they do so they must be prepared to die.—REUTER.

JAPANESE DESTROYER HIT BY CHINESE SHELL

Nanking, Nov. 28: During a recent artillery duel at Kiangyin the No. 11 Japanese destroyer was hit by a Chinese shell on the right side. It has now been towed to Shanghai for repair.—Central News.

CHINESE STILL HOLD LINE

East Of Changhsing

Shanghai, Nov. 28.

Despite repeated Japanese attacks the Chinese are still holding the line east of Changhsing, according to Chinese reports which added that the city, despite the severest aerial bombardment, is still in Chinese hands.

It is also claimed that the Chinese defenders in Wushu repulsed the Japanese onslaughts successfully for the past three days and nights. As the result of severe fighting, the Wushu railway station was completely demolished and casualties on both sides were very heavy. Meanwhile, instead of shelling the Kiangyin Forts, Japanese warships on the Yangtze are bombarding Tsingkiang, directly opposite Kiangyin.

It is held possible by Chinese circles that the Japanese might attempt to land troops in this northern Kiangsu city. The second boom in Chingkiang has been completed by the Chinese and is reported to be stronger than the first one in Kiangyin.

The Chinese air force is reported to have been active during the past few nights in Kiangyin and Haiyen. According to a Chinese report the Japanese warships in the Yangtze and Hangchow Bay were raided with "satisfactory" results.—REUTER.

Japan Will Receive Her Penalty

Hankow, November 28: As the common enemy to all peace-loving countries, Japan will sooner or later receive her penalty for breaking world peace. This prediction was made by Mr. Wang Ching-wel, Chairman of the Central Political Committee, when speaking at the weekly memorial service at the Hupeh Provincial Kuomintang Headquarters yesterday morning.

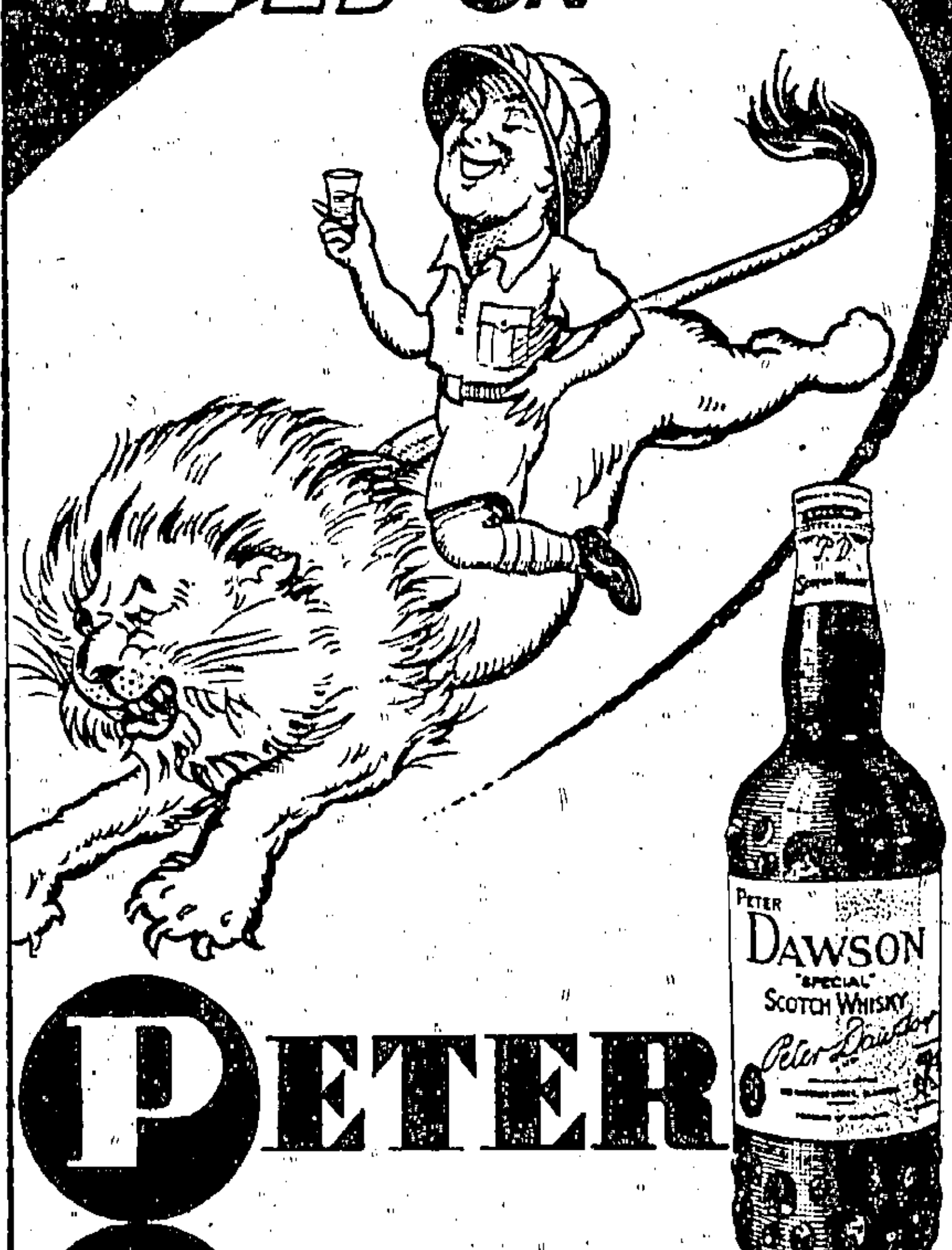
China must continue her resistance to Japan until the peace-loving countries are ready to take action against her, Mr. Wang declared.

Though admitting the sluggishness of any form of international action, Mr. Wang was confident that China will get international assistance sooner or later.—Central News.




The Puisne Judge, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindell, Lady MacGregor and a friend photographed at the Eleventh Extra Race Meeting held at the Valley.

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SCOTTISH COMPANY PARADE SERVICE

Governor And Wife Attend Union Church

INSPIRING SERMON

A large congregation was present at the Hong Kong Union Church yesterday morning on the occasion of the annual Church parade service of the Scottish Company of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps. The company, with their bagpipers in full regalia made an impressive sight as they marched from Headquarters up Garden Road and along Kennedy Road. There was a smart turnout under the command of Major H. R. Forsyth, Officer Commanding the Scottish Company.

His Excellency the Governor Sir Geoffrey Northcote, and Lady Northcote, attended by Capt. S. H. Batty-Smith, A.D.C., His Excellency Major-General and Mrs. A. W. Bartholomew, Sir Atholl MacGregor, Chief of Staff of the H.K.V.D.C., Lieut-Col. R. C. B. Anderson, M.C., Commandant of the H.K.V.D.C., Lieut-Col. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, Mr. R. M. McEay, Mr. W. Kay, Professor W. Brown, Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith, and Mr. A. S. MacKichan were among those present.

The service, at which the Band of the Seaforth Highlanders played, was conducted by the Rev. K. Mackenzie Dow, who delivered an inspiring sermon.

The preacher said in part: My text this morning is taken from the gospel of St. John. Jesus said, "I came that they may have life, and have it overflowing." Perhaps, the most cynical and bitter commentary that has ever been passed on the high idealism of that utterance is to be found in the writings of that brilliant Irishman, Oscar Wilde. Imagining a scene in the life of Jesus, Wilde reconstructs this grim little "parable." Jesus came one day from a great white plain to a purple city. As he passed through the first street, he heard voices overhead, and looking up, saw a young man lying drunk on a windowsill. Jesus said to him, "Why do you thus waste your soul in drunkenness?" The young man answered and said, "Lord, I was a leper, and you healed me. What else is there for me to do?" A little further through the town, Jesus came upon a young man who was following a harlot. And Jesus said to him, "Why do you thus dissolve your soul in debauchery?" And the young man answered and said, "Lord, I was blind, and you gave me back my sight. What else can I do?" Jesus went on his way, and in the middle of the city he came upon an old man, crouching upon the ground and weeping bitterly. And when Jesus asked him why he wept, the old man answered and said, "Lord, I was dead, and you raised me unto life again. What can I do but weep?"

FUTURE AFFECTED
Let not the grimness of the parable's cynicism blind you to the true identity of the people whom Wilde is describing! He is not necessarily imagining the future history of the blind man, the leper, and the resurrected Lazarus only. He may be describing you. He may be describing me. The one lesson which Wilde's cynicism does bring home to us is this, that Christ's coming is meant to make a difference between the old and the new, and that Christ's healing power does not stop at healing only. It must vastly affect the future of all who have been made aware of it. If thereafter we continue to live our lives, "Just as though Jesus had never lived," "Just as though Jesus had never died," how can we hope to escape the damnation of Hell? May this grim little parable of Wilde's remain in your memory to be a stimulus to occasional self-examination!

LIFE
I think I know most of the objections which can be made against belief in God, or against Christianity. In fact, like most people, I probably know them a good deal better than the average person who makes use of them. So perhaps already I can guess at an objection, or at least a question which might be put forward concerning this saying of Jesus which we are using as our text. "I am come that they might have life, and have it more abundantly." Someone may well ask, "what do you mean, or rather, what did Jesus mean, when he spoke of 'life'?"

In this one word, perhaps more than in any other, might be summed up the whole purpose of

ANY LETTERS FOR YOU?

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REGISTERED ARTICLES
The Asia Commercial Co. (Parcel), Rev. Paul E. Carlson (c/o C. B. Carter, Parcel), F. Konig, Edward Messerli, R. J. Reynolds Tob. Co. (The Director), Joseph Stonkus, Tokyo Murakami.

BRITISH SUBJECTS OF NON-CHINESE RACE

Must Have Passports When Visiting Chinese Territories

It is notified in the "Government Gazette" for general information that from December 1, 1937, all British subjects of non-Chinese race visiting Canton or other places in South China should be in possession of valid passports which have been vised for travel in Chinese territory or which have been endorsed to the effect that the bearer is a resident of Hong Kong.

Such endorsements will be accepted by the Chinese Authorities in lieu of a Chinese visa, and may be obtained on application to the Passports Office at the Colonial Secretariat.

The charge for a first endorsement is four dollars except in connection with the issue and renewal of passports, when an inclusive fee is charged.

Endorsements are valid for one year, and will be renewed free of charge.

BRIDGE AND MAHJONGG DRIVES

The Ministering Children's League (Prison Branch) are holding an Xmas mahjongg drive in the Officers' Recreation Rooms, Stanley, on December 1 at 3.15 p.m. The bus leaves Blake Pier at 2.30 p.m.

A bridge and mahjongg drive will be held by the Women's League of Health and Beauty at Kowloon Cricket Club on December 7 when the prizes will be presented by Mrs. R.A.D. Forrest. Tickets \$1. Proceeds are in aid of the Violet Peel Health Centre and local demonstration purposes of the League.

A bridge and mahjongg drive will be held in St. Andrew's Church Hall on December 3 (Friday) at 3 p.m., to raise funds to enable the 2nd Kowloon (Diocesan Girl's School) Girl Guide Company to rebuild their headquarters which was destroyed by the recent typhoon. Admission is \$1.

FILIPINO WITH FALSE PASSPORT

Restituto Romero, 36, of No. 41 Nathan Road, appeared before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Magistracy on Saturday charged with possession of a false passport and entering the Colony without a valid passport.

Det. Sergeant Russell said that the age of the real owner of the passport was 21 but the figure had been altered by defendant to 27. He also extracted the owner's photograph and pasted his own in its place.

LOCAL ESTATE

Letters of administration to the estate of Ng Tsz-fung, merchant, late of No. 11, Possession Street, who died on October 25, 1933, have been granted to Ng Lo-shi, concubine. The estate was sworn under \$900.

A petition by Mr. E. P. H. Lang, the Official Administrator, for grant of letters of administration to the estate of Edward Vyvyan Neville Fuller, late second officer of the Seistan, who died on September 6, 1937, at sea, has been granted. The estate was sworn under \$1,000.

Letters of administration to the estate, sworn under \$100, of Ma Chee, (or Chh) Lung (or Loong) alias Ma Kin-pak alias Ma Yu alias Ma Kin-wick, comrade, late of No. 5, Ming Young Terrace, who died on September 26, 1936, have been granted to Ma Yu-shih, nee Yu Yuk, widow.

A petition by Mak Wing, general broker, for grant of letters of administration to the estate, sworn under \$2,000, of Ho Sze-toon alias Ho Ping, widow, late of No. 115 Tam Kung Road, who died on September 20, 1933, has been granted.

PASSENGERS DEPARTED

The following passengers left on Saturday by the P. and O. S.S. Ranchi for London via ports:— Mr. J. H. Anderson, Mrs. H. V. Ardy and infant, Mrs. F. A. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Arns, Mr. E. G. B. Ann's, Mr. D. T. Assomull, Mr. and Mrs. Butterfield, Miss D. Bertrand, Mr. S. J. Bradwell, Mr. K. Begden, Mrs. J. E. Badeley and child, Mr. E. J. Colman, Mr. Campbell, P.O.R. S. Cooking, Mrs. Cammille and two children, Mr. C. H. Chung, Mr. C. Chen, Mr. N. Y. Chia, Mr. T. C. Chan, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Dave, Mrs. M. S. Dave, Mr. G. C. Deasal, Mr. and Mrs. Daxbury, Mr. H. Daniels, Mr. G. C. Dudley, Ldg. Tel. N. J. Dralvisy, Mr. Day, Mr. Drewry, Mr. Edmonstone, Mr. Edwards, Mrs. E. French, Mr. S. P. Feng, Mr. Fraser, Mrs. E. J. Grace, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Grace, Ldg. Tel. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Grigor, Mrs. and Miss Garnock, Messrs. D. and J. Garnock, Mrs. C. D. Goldman, Mr. and Mrs. F. Gregory, Miss I. G. Gairdner, Ldg. Tel. A. W. Gilmore, Dr. Hans Luther, Captain R. H. C. Hargraves, Mr. and Mrs. Hari Ram, Master Hari Ram, Mr. Gifford Hull, Major G. B. M. Hutchinson, Mr. L. R. Home, Ldg. Tel. P. C. Harrington, Mr. Hooper, Mr. D. Isherwood, Dr. Stanley Jones, Mr. Jessop, Mr. and Mrs. O. James and two infants, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. V. Kennedy, Mr. V. K. Khatanhar, Mr. G. Kilpatrick, Lt. Cdr. M. V. Keogh, Mr. J. W. Lowe, Miss Lenaghan, Mr. H. C. Lee, Mr. R. L. Leach, Mr. J. K. Louie, Mr. C. F. Lan, Mr. J. W. Mackay, Miss J. McKillop, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Mehra, Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Mehra and children, Captain N. I. McLeod, Mr. W. S. McInn, Mr. MacLaren, Mrs. C. F. Mathews, Mr. C. P. Mak, Mr. T. S. Ma, Mr. McKernon, Mr. D. M. Mitchell, Pol. Sgt. W. J. Neill, Mrs. H. J. G. Noble and children, Surg. Capt. and Mrs. J. A. O'Flynn with child, infant and nurse (Miss Allen), Mr. N. F. O'Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Prentiss and child, Tel. L. P. O. Phillips, C.E.R.A./A.C. Pryke, Mr. N. S. Patel, Mr. J. T. Parke, Mr. T. F. C. Peters, Rev. H. L. Puebla, Dr. T. V. L. Rao, Miss E. Robertson, Mr. Ramdas, Mr. H. E. Stead, Mrs. G. L. M. Salter, Dr. R. B. Sagvelia, Mrs. N. V. Scott, Mr. Stone, Mr. A. A. Thanawalla, Mr. J. Thompson, Mr. Trattles, Mr. Turner, Mr. H. Taylor, Mr. B. V. Utamphandani, Mr. S. Valeram, Mrs. H. C. B. Way, Mr. W. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wales and child, Marine/R. West, Pol. Sgt. E. C. White, Miss L. Wood, Mr. J. Wilson, Mr. S. K. Wong, Mrs. S. Walen, Mr. F. A. Williams, Mr. Wyatt, Mr. K. S. Yan, Mr. Yuen Choi.

A 28-year old earth coolie named Yu Tak was fatally injured at the junction of Robinson Road and Kowloon Road on Friday afternoon, when he was struck by an overhanging tree branch while riding on the edge of lorry No. 3704.

He fell to the ground, and died on the way to Queen Mary Hospital.

Defendant admitted the charges, saying that he had bought the passport for 35 pesos in Manila.

He was sentenced to three months' hard labour on the first count and fined \$50 with the alternative of six weeks' imprisonment for the second offence. The sentences to run concurrently. An expulsion order was also made.

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PATRIOTISM

China Is Fulfilling
Her Duty In
Fighting For Peace

Brussels, Nov. 27.

"If the powers are seriously interested in preserving peace in the Far East, they will have to devote greater consideration to the question of according China material assistance," declared Dr. Wellington Koo, chief Chinese delegate to the Brussels Conference, in an exclusive interview with Trans-Ocean before his departure for Paris yesterday.

"China still hopes," Dr. Koo said, "that the signatory powers will realise and will fulfil their duty," though he added that he understood the difficult situation confronting these countries.

Although concrete results were lacking as a result of the Conference, he was convinced that the meeting had not been in vain, since it had served to reveal to the world that right and justice are on the side of China, and with this definite statement, material assistance to China would now be dealt with.

Dr. Koo expressed the hope that during the recess for the exchange of views, this important question would not be overlooked.

Turning to the rumours of third-party mediation, Dr. Koo said this could only take place in conference and on the basis of the Nine-Power Treaty.

PROPHECIES DISCOUNTED
Since Japan had flouted the Treaty, it was the duty of the signatory powers to refrain from supporting Japan through deliveries of war materials, and to render China the material assistance provided for in the Treaty.

By declaring that the League of Nations would also be obliged to consider further measures which China, as a member state, could demand, Dr. Koo plainly indicated that China would favour discussion of the conflict at Geneva.

He discounted prophecies of ultimate Japanese victory, declaring that a nation can never be defeated as long as its strength grows out of patriotism and the conviction that its cause is just.

China, he stated, was fulfilling her duty in fighting for peace of the Far East, and he hoped other nations would fulfil their duty in the same manner.

Transocean News Service.

**CHINA'S BITTER
DISAPPOINTMENT**

The Nine-Power Treaty
Has Become A Scrap
Of Paper

Shanghai, Nov. 27.

"The Nine-Power Treaty has become a scrap of paper," says the "China Evening News" in an article surveying the results of the Brussels Conference and expressing China's bitter disappointment.

Failure of the powers at Brussels has taught China a good lesson, says the paper, but this failure was not quite unexpected and China will not lose her confidence by reason.

The powers were certainly not willing to give up their interests in the Far East, and although the powers had reached no decision on a common attitude, they would probably take individual measures for protection of their respective interests.

This individual procedure could possibly develop into collective procedure.

Commenting on the forthcoming visit of the French statesmen, M. Camille Chautemps and M. Yvon Delbos, and possibly also of the United States "Ambassador at Large," Mr. Norman Davis, to London, the paper expects that the conversations there will not only deal with the European but also with the Far Eastern situation.

Although the Brussels Conference had failed, hope remained that the London conversations would yield better results.

Transocean.

**CHINESE STILL IN
POSSESSION**

Shanghai, Nov. 27.

Although it was announced last night that the Japanese authorities would to-day take over Chinese postal, telegraphic and wireless offices in Shanghai, these had not been occupied up to noon.

It was also announced yesterday that Japanese appraisers and examiners belonging to the Chinese Maritime Customs would be for the first time assigned to duty on wharves south of Soochow Creek.

Reuter.

**MR. R. G. HOWE
IN HANKOW**

Chinese Foreign
Office Moves

Hankow, Nov. 27.

The British Charge d'Affaires, Mr. R. G. Howe accompanied by the majority of the staff of the British Embassy, has arrived from Nanking on H.M.S. Bee. The Chinese Foreign Office are establishing temporary offices in the British Concession and it is understood that if Hankow is attacked the Foreign Office will move to Szechuen, probably establishing offices in Chungking.

Reuter.

**New Interpretation Of
Japan's Militarism**

Berlin, Nov. 27.

"The Japanese know that the sky in North-West China is becoming perceptibly redder, but they know how impossible it is for China to be governed in the long run by others than Chinese."

So declared the well-known geographer, General Karl Haushofer, a professor at Munich University and well-known in the Far East, in a broadcast address last night.

The address was remarkable in that it was the first occasion when the strict reserve hitherto observed by the German press on the Sino-Japanese conflict has been dropped.

General Haushofer declared that Japanese circles to-day are scarcely inclined to the belief that the Far Eastern conflict can be solved by guns, or that another Chinese government can be substituted for the Government of General Chiang Kai-shek, which alone is in a position to guarantee constructive peace.

CONSTRUCTIVE PEACE

"The roar of guns alone," he declared, "cannot convince 480,000,000 people."

Hence the experienced statesmen and soldiers around the Emperor of Japan who directed Japan's foreign policy and the strategy of her armies, in spite of the severity of certain demands and although they reject intervention, which they consider unjustifiable and partial, do not give the impression of clamorous victors.

They know, he stated, how difficult it is to find in the wide Whangpoo delta, frontiers between north and south.

They also know how much more difficult it would be to imagine a Chinese government more conciliatory than that of General Chiang Kai-shek, and which would at the same time guarantee constructive peace.

"They know," he concluded, "that they sky in North-West China is becoming perceptibly redder, but they know how impossible it is for China to be governed in the long run by others than Chinese."

Transocean News Service.

ENCIRCLING OPERATIONS

Shanghai, Nov. 28.

The encircling operations of the Japanese troops near Taihu Lake are developing westward.

Japanese troops operating north of the Lake are advancing from Wusih in a northerly direction on Wutain, and are reported to have reached a point not far from the latter town.

Simultaneously, Japanese detachments on the southern bank of the Lake are marching on Irling, on the western point of Taihu Lake.

The Japanese claim that these two columns operating north and south of the Lake will effect a junction west of the Lake within a few days.

Transocean News Service.

**EMERGENCY
TELEPHONE CALLS**

London, Nov. 27.

A new system has been devised enabling Scotland Yard to deal directly with emergency telephone calls to the police in the City of London and metropolitan police district. Calls hitherto received at local police stations will be switched on to the information room at police headquarters.

British Wireless.

**TAIPEI STATION BOMBED BY
JAPANESE PLANE**

Taipei, Nov. 27: Taipei station on the Tientsin-Pukow Railway, in Shantung was bombed yesterday morning by a Japanese plane. About ten bombs were dropped, demolishing several dwelling houses.

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**RELAY OF THE HONG KONG
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12 to 12.20 noon Relay of Special
Service from St. John's Cathedral.
12.30 p.m. Mozart—Sonata in C
Minor, K. 457.
Played by Walter Gieseking
(Piano).

12.46 p.m. Mozart—Orchestral
Compositions.
Marriage of Figaro—Overture
Il Seraglio—Overture—Vienna
Philharmonic Orchestra Cond.
Clemens Krauss. Overture 'Cost
Fan Tutte'—The B.B.C. Symphony
Orchestra Cond. Adrian Boult
1 p.m. Local Time Signal and
Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. De Groot and His Or-
chestra with Walter Glynn
(Tenor).

Erstes Waltzer — Potpourri
(Robrecht)—Orchestra. Selection
Of Chopin Melodies (arr. De Groot)
Polonaise in A. Prelude in A.
Waltz in D Flat—De Groot
(Violin); David Bor (Piano) and
Reginald Kilbey (Cello). I'll Walk
Beside You (Lockton-Alan Murray)
The Valley Where Wishes Come
True (Eatherlay-Elliott) A Dream
Of Paradise (Gray and Littleton)—
Walter Glynn. Louise—Selection
(Charpentier) 'The Waltz Dream'—
Selection (O. Straus)—Orchestra.

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby
Press: Local Weather Forecast and
Announcements.

1.40 p.m. Variety.
Organ—The Singing Marine—
Selection 'Broadway Melody of
1938'—Selection—Reginald Foot.
Comedienne—In Love Again (from
Seeing Stars)—Florence Desmond.
Orchestra—Stellana (Apollonio)
Blue Skies (Rixner)—Barnabas
Von Gezy and His Orchestra.
Humorous—Taught Me How to
Play The Second Fiddle (Lyndhart,
Moder and Dahl) I'm A Specialist
(Charles 'Chic' Sale)—Frank
Crumit (Tenor). Vocal — Birdie
Out Of A Cage; I Was Anything But
Sentimental (film 'Take My Tip')
—Cicely Courtneidge and Jack
Hulbert. Accordion Band — Los
Cabin Lullaby (S. and G. Byrne
and Schuster) The White Cliffs Of
Dover (Leon and Towers)—London
Piano-Accordion Band.

2.15 p.m. Close down.
5 to 8.05 p.m. European Pro-
gramme.

8.05 to 11 p.m. Chinese Pro-
gramme.

5 p.m. Relay of the Dance Or-
chestra from the Grill Room of
the Hong Kong Hotel.
1. That's Southern Hospitality;
2. Star Dust; 3. Avalon; 4. After
You've Gone. 5.15 p.m. Interval of
recorded dance music from Z.B.W.
5.20 p.m. 5. So Rare; 6. Vieni,
Vieni; 7. Feelin' No Pain; 8. I'm
Walking Thru Heaven with you.
5.35 p.m. Interval of recorded
dance music from Z.B.W. 5.40 p.m.
9. I Can't Believe It that You're in
Love; 10. Love is good for any-
thing; 11. Was it Rain; 12. Sweet
Heartache. 5.55 p.m. Interval of
recorded dance music from Z.B.W.
6 p.m. 13. A Beautiful Lady in
Blue; 14. Love me forever; 15. Pity
Me. 6.15 p.m. Interval of recorded
dance music from Z.B.W. 6.20 p.m.
16. September in the Rain; 17.
Jealousy; 18. Black Eyes; 19. Rose
Room.

6.30 p.m. Children's Records.
Alice In Wonderland: How doth
the little crocodile; You are old
Father William; Speak roughly to
your little boy; Twinkle, twinkle,
little bat; Pity said to a mouse;
Will you walk a little faster—
Frank Luther. Christopher Robin
Is Saying His Prayers (from 'When
We Were Very Young'—Milne and
Fraser-Simson)—Turner Layton
(Vocal and Piano).

6.45 p.m. Elisabeth Schumann
(Soprano).
The Little Sandman (Brahms);
Vogel Lied, Op.41, No. 4 (Weing-
artner); Caprice Viennois (Kreis-
ler).

6.55 p.m. New Symphony Orches-
tra and Norman Affin (Bass).
In Memoriam—Overture (Sul-
livan)—Orchestra. When Song Is
Sweet (Sana-Soud); Think On Me
(Lady John Scott—arr. Moffat);
Father O'Flynn (Graves, arr. Vil-
liers O'Flynn)—Norman Affin.
Tintagel (Bax); Mediterranean
(Bax)—New Symphony Orchestra.
7.30 p.m. Closing local Stock
Quotations and Hong Kong Ex-
change Market Report.

7.35 p.m. Variety.
Orchestra—'Crest Of The Wave'
—Selection (Ivor Novello—arr.
Prentice)—The Drury Lane Thea-
tre Orchestra. Humorous Duet—
Tricky Little Tune, A More Or Less
Volga Boat Song (McGill)—
Major and Minor Piano—Sweet
Heartache—Slow Fox-Trot (film
The Hit Parade) Jammin'—Quick-
step (film 'Turn off the Mop')—

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7 a.m. Radio-Journal of France
(French News). 7.20 a.m. Gramo-
phone Records. 7.30 a.m. Leading
Press Articles. 7.45 a.m. Gramo-
phone Records. 8.15 a.m. Talk on
French Events. 8.30 a.m. Gramo-
phone Records. 9 a.m. News in
French. 9.30 a.m. News in English.
9.40 a.m. News in Italian. 9.50 a.m.
Gramophone Records. 10 a.m. Close
Down.

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11 a.m. Gramophone Records.
11.45 a.m. Talk On Current French
Events in Greek by Mr. Apostolis.
12 noon. News in English. 12.15
p.m. Concert Relayed from Nice.
12.45 p.m. Talk on French Events.
1 p.m. Concert Relayed from
Grenoble. 1.30 p.m. News in
French. Colonial Market Prices.
2 p.m. Unchanging People and
Things by Messrs. L. Vibert or R.
Wisner. 2.10 p.m. The French Wo-
man's Chronicle by Mrs. Decaris.
2.20 p.m. Gramophone Records.
2.30 p.m. Light Music with Miss
Marguerite Blanchard (Vocalist)
and Mr. Mallet (Baritone). 3.55
p.m. Rates of Exchange and French
Stock (Renties). 4 p.m. Close
Down.

Wavelength: 25.24 m.—11.885 Kc.
5.15 p.m. News in French.
Market Prices, Rates of Exchange.
5.45 p.m. News in Arabic. 6 p.m.
Concert Relayed from Lille. 6.30
p.m. Concert Relayed from Bor-
deaux. 6.50 p.m. Talk on the Fine
Arts by Mr. Tabarant. 7 p.m.
Relay of Radio-Journal of France
(French News). 7.30 p.m. News in
French. Rates of Exchange. 8.10
p.m. News in English. 8.20 p.m.
News in Italian. 8.30 Relay. 10.30
p.m. Colonial Market Prices. 10.45
p.m. News in Portuguese. 11 p.m.
Close Down.

Wavelength: 25.60 m.—11.720 Kc.
11.15 p.m. Gramophone Records.
12.15 a.m. News in French. Market
Prices. Rates of Exchange. 12.40
a.m. News in Spanish. 12.50 News
in Portuguese. 1 a.m. Gramo-
phone Records. 1.15 a.m. Close
Down. 3 p.m. Gramophone Re-
cords. 4 a.m. News in French.
Market Prices. Rates of Exchange.
4.30 a.m. News in English. 4.45
a.m. Gramophone Records. 5.45
a.m. News in German. 6 a.m.
Close Down.

8.05 p.m. Chopin.
Studies, Op.25: No. 3 in F major,
No. 4 in A minor; No. 8 in D flat
major; No. 5 in E minor; No. 6 in
G sharp minor—Wilhelm Backhaus
(Piano). Berceuse—Ignaz Friend-
man (Piano). Nocturne in G
Minor, Op.37, No. 1; Nocturne in C
Sharp Minor, Op.27, No. 1—Arthur
Rubinstein (Piano).
8.25 p.m. Chausson — 'Poeme',
'Op.25'.
Played by Georges Enesco
(Violin) with Sanford Schussel at
the Piano.
8.43 p.m. Richard Strauss—'Don
Juan' (Tone Poem). Op.20.
Played by the London Phil-
harmonic Orchestra conducted by
Fritz Busch.
9 p.m. London Relay—'Empire
Exchange'.
Points of view by travellers from
from the Dominions and Colonies.
9.15 p.m. London Relay—Orches-
tral Music.
9.30 p.m. London Relay—The
News.

9.50 p.m. Paul Robeson (Bass).
My Way: Golden River (film
'Jericho'—Carr and Kennedy); Jes'
Mah Song (Strickland).
10 p.m. Variety.

Orchestra—'On The Avenue'—
Selection—Louis Lavy and His
Gaumont-British Symphony. Vocal
—Hildegard Looks Back—Hilde-
garde. Accordion—Mimile's Valse
(Baptiste-Alexander)—Bijou Ac-
cordeon. Orchestra with Yodelling
and Whistling. Comedian — The
Old Oak Tree Put It Down (Miller)
—Max Miller. Orchestra w.
Vocalists—Crazy Days—Selection
(Eyton, Carter and Mayer)—The
Shaftesbury Theatre Orchestra
(Vocalists: M. Browne and F.
Conyngham).
10.30 p.m. Dance Music.
Fox-Trots—One In A Million
(from 'the film) I'm Gonna Kiss
Myself Good-Bye—Brian Lawrence
and His Lansdowne Orch. Runnin'
Wild; Chicken Reed—Joe Daniels
and His Not Shots in Drum-
nasticks. When You Gotta Sing,
You Gotta Sing; Lord And Lady
Whoosis; Moon Or No Moon.
Gangway (all from film 'Gangway')
—Jack Hylton and His Orchestra
with Vocal Refrain. Love Was
Born; Stranger In A Cup Of Tea
(Crazy Days)—Billy Mayerl and
His Orchestra with Vocal Refrain.
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4.15 p.m.—Big Ben. In Town
To-night' Fifth Season: 136th
Edition. Edited by A. W. Hanson.
4.45 p.m.—The BBC Empire Or-
chestra; leader, Daniel Melis;
conducted by Clifton Hellwell.
5.35 p.m.—The News and An-
nouncements. 5.55 p.m.—Long-
distance Listening. A talk by Sir
H. Walford Davies, C.V.O., follow-
ed by gramophone-record illus-
trations. 6.25 p.m.—Close down.
Trans. II (G.S.H., G.S.G., G.S.B.).
6.45 p.m.—Big Ben. Reginald
Forster-Brown, at the Organ of the
Forum Cinema, Southampton. 7.15
p.m.—Fritz Kreisler (Violin). 7.30
p.m.—'Palace of Varieties'. 8.30
p.m.—Ballad Concert. Ethel Lewis
(Soprano) and Rowland Robson
(Baritone). 9 p.m.—Empire Ex-
change. Points of view by travel-
lers from the Dominions and the
Colonies. 9.15 p.m.—Orchestra
Music. 9.30 p.m.—The News and
Announcements. 9.55 p.m.—Close
down.
Trans. III (G.S.H., G.S.G., G.S.B.).
10.15 p.m.—Big Ben. 'Swift
Serenade'. The Swift Serenade
Concert Orchestra. The singer:
Bell Walker; the speaker: David
Porter. Concert arrangements by
Ray Terry. 10.45 p.m.—Famous
British Choirs. 11 p.m.—Green
Fields and Pavements—9. A talk
by John R. Allan about happen-
ings in country and town in the
United Kingdom. 11.15 p.m.—
Violoncello Recital by Gladys Cor-
lett. 11.30 p.m.—'In Town To-
night'. Fifth Season: 136th Edi-
tion. Edited by A. W. Hanson. 12
p.m.—The News and Announce-
ments. 12.20 a.m.—Gladys Young
in 'The Lady's Maid', from the
short story by Katherine Mans-
field. Adapted by M. H. Allen.
Presented by John Richmond.
12.30 a.m.—Dudley Beaven, at the
Organ of the Granada. Woolwich.
1 a.m.—Close down.

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mic Review in German. 9.15 p.m.
Indian Music. Played by the
Menaka Hindu Ballet Orches-
tra. 9.45 p.m. Sports Review.
10 p.m. News and Economic Review
in English and Dutch. 10.15 p.m.
To-day in Germany. Sound Pic-
tures. 10.30 p.m. Will you be lis-
tening in? Chat about the week's
programme. 10.45 p.m. Peter Pan.
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01.00—02.00 G.M.T. wavelength
31.28 M.
13.25—15.00 G.M.T. wavelength
16.88 m.

Wavelength 31.28 m.
00.00—01.00 Netherlands world
broadcast for Central and South
America, by the Rom. Cath. Broad-
cast. (K.R.O.). 1. Music; 2. Talk
by Mr. J. H. Nannings; 3. Music;
4. Political talk by Mr. Paul de
Waart; 5. Missionary; 6. Journal.
Wavelength 31.28 M.
01.00—02.00 Phohi-programme for
the West.

Wavelength 16.88 m.
Phohi-programme for the
Netherlands Indies.
13.25. National anthem and open-
ing-announcement.
13.40 Variety Programme.
13.50 Stock Reports.
14.00 Talk on sports by Mr. C. J.
Grothoff.
14.20 Talk by Lod. Prins on the
world chess-championship between
Dr. Max Euwe and Dr. Aliechh.
14.30 Songs from Chili.
15.00 Daily News Bulletin.
15.10 Close down and national
anthem.

AUSTRALIA

3L.R.—Wave Length. 31.34 metres.
Power, 1 Kilowatt; Frequency,
9.58 megacycles.

12.35 p.m. 'At Home and Abroad'
—'The Watchman'. 12.50 p.m.
Musical Interlude. 1 p.m. Time
Signal. Victorian News Bulletin.
1.05 p.m. Interstate Weather Notes.
1.15 p.m. Stock Exchange Report.
1.20 p.m. Luncheon Music. 2 p.m.
Recorded Music. 3 p.m. Time Sig-
nal. Broadcast to schools—'Mil-
stones in Modern History'. 3.20
p.m. Afternoon Musical Programme.
Progress scores of the Cricket
Match—Victoria v. West Australia.
will be given as they come to hand.
5.15 p.m. Close. 6.30 p.m. China.
Fifteen-minutes of Popular Music.
6.45 p.m. Sporting News and Notes.
7 p.m. Chimes. Talk: 'Can we
prevent Depopulation in Australia?'
by Mr. Herbert Burton. 7.25
p.m. National News Bulletin. 7.30
p.m. Queensland and North Aus-
tralian News Bulletin. 7.40 p.m.
News, markets and weather for
North Australia. 8 p.m. Radio
Serial: 'Jungle Drums' by Max-
well Dunn. 8.30 p.m. 'The News
Behind the News'—'The Watch-
man'. 8.50 p.m. Musical Interlude.
9 p.m. 'These are Hits'—presented
by Jim Davidson's A.B.C. Dance
Band. 9.30 p.m. Topical Review.
Clippings from this week's news, in
songs, sketch and story. 10 p.m.
Special Recorded Sessions—'Har-
bour, Lights'. 10.30 p.m. Aus-
tralian News Service. 10.50 p.m.
Recorded Music. 11.10 p.m. Weekly
News Bulletin from 'Radio-
nations'. Geneva. 11.30 p.m. Close.

BERLIN

O.J.A. 31.38m. (95.60 Kc.)
D.J.B. 19.74m. (15.200 Kc.)
D.J.E. 16.89m. (17.760 Kc.)
D.J.N. 31.45m. (95.40 Kc.)
D.J.O. 19.63m. (15.280 Kc.)
1.05 p.m. Call (German, Eng-
lish). German Folk Song. 1.10
p.m. Concert of Light Music.
2 p.m. News in German. 2.15
p.m. Concert of Light Music
(continued). 2.50 p.m. Greetings
to our Listeners in Australia.
3 p.m. News and Economic Review
in English. 3.15 p.m. To-day in
Germany. Sound Pictures. 3.30 p.m.
Flowers from woodland, hill
and dale. Children's songs.
4 p.m. Will you be listening? A
chat about the week's pro-
gramme. 4.15 p.m. Orchestral
Concert. 5.15 p.m. Sports Review.
5.30 p.m. News and Economic
Review in German. 5.45 p.m.
Topical Talk. 6 p.m. Light music.

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600 HOUSES TO BE DEMOLISHED

London, Nov. 27.
The London County Council Housing Committee has decided to pull down 600 slum houses at Stepney. This is the biggest single group to be demolished and covers 17 acres. The Council intends to build 856 flats which will accommodate most of the people who have been living in the slums.

Sir Kingsley Wood stated that the Ministry of Health, in connection with the housing scheme, will provide 1,000,000 new homes in place of slums next March. During the year £33,500,000 in loans for housing have been made as compared with £25,000,000 last year.

TYPHOID IN BRITAIN

London, Nov. 27.
The total number of victims of the typhoid epidemic at Croydon has now reached 217, of which 10 have been fatal.

BRAZILIAN ACTION

Rio de Janeiro, Nov. 27.
It is understood that the Brazilian Government has ordered the closing of Spanish Government agencies in three towns.

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

KING'S:-
"Vogues of 1938"
QUEEN'S:-
"Souls at Sea"
ORIENTAL:-
"A Star Is Born"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:-
"Souls at Sea"
STAR:-
"Little Lord Fauntleroy"
MAJESTIC:-
"Parnell"

Coming

KING'S:-
"Dark Hazard"
QUEEN'S:-
"Flight From Glory"
ORIENTAL:-
"The 13th Chair"
ALHAMBRA:-
"The Road Back"
STAR:-
"The King and The Chorus"
MAJESTIC:-
"Camille"

SOULS AT SEA

A trial of a sea captain which electrified the world some ninety years ago is powerfully and brilliantly brought back to life in the epic motion picture "Souls at Sea," which has its run at the Queen's and Alhambra Theatres to-day.

Played by an excellent cast headed by Gary Cooper, George Raft and Frances Dee, "Souls at Sea" is the story of "Nugget" Taylor, an ex-slave trader, played by Cooper, who happened to be returning from England to the United States on the brigantine "William Brown." In mid-Atlantic "William Brown's" master, played by Harry Carey, was killed, and shortly after the vessel caught fire. Because of his rank Taylor took command of the vessel.

The doughty captain brought the frail craft in his charge through safely only to stand charges of manslaughter at sea when he arrived on land. There followed the famous trial which is now recognized as one of the most surprising in the annals of the sea.

"Nugget's" sweetheart, played by lovely Miss Dee, was one of the passengers aboard the "William Brown" and testified against her sweetheart because he has condemned her brother a deserter from the British Navy to follow the ill-starred vessel to the bottom.

VOGUES OF 1938

Next year's fashions in fun, gowns, girls, love, music, dances and technicolor are introduced by "Walter Wanger's Vogues of 1938," the gay musical extravaganza starring Warner Baxter and Joan Bennett, which is showing at the King's Theatre.

Helen Vinson, Mischa Auer, Alan Mowbray and Jerome Cowan head the imposing supporting cast, which includes Marjorie Gatenon, Dorothy McNulty, Alma Kruger, Polly Rowles and the famous Walter Wanger Models, beautiful winners of the producer's nationwide search for "the most photographed girls in the world."

PARNELL

"Parnell," which opened Saturday night at the Majestic Theatre is, of course, a story of the Irish people primarily, but actually it is a narration of great love and sacrifice that transcends all racial boundaries.

It takes the man, Charles Stewart Parnell, as a symbol of all the courageous, reckless men of history, to whom love was a greater thing than fortune or fame or power. It endows him with many of the human weaknesses and some of the human virtues that endear a man to his fellowmen.

The role of Parnell is played by Clark Gable.

Myrna Loy portrays the glamorous Katie O'Shea the woman Parnell loves to the exclusion of all else. Edna May Oliver is the testy, but beloved Aunt Ben; Billie Burke, the giddy Clara; and Alan Marshall the ambitious Willie O'Shea, the husband of Katie.

"CHINA FIGHTS FOR FREEDOM"

War Film Horrifies England

London, Nov. 28.
The horrors of the China war is brought home to millions of cinema-goers by a news film shot amidst the actual hostilities.

The reel, which is showing throughout the country this week, depicts the "Doomed Battalion" in Shanghai and the pitiable crowds of refugees trying to force their way into the International Settlement. Before the audience has recovered from this horrific spectacle, the next instalment shows the wildly gay rejoicings in Tokyo.

The first performance of the film "China Fights For Freedom" was shown to-night in London at a meeting organised by the Chinese Campaign Committee. Mr. Cocker Brown, foreign secretary of the London Missionary Society paid a tribute to the magnificent restraint shown by the Chinese people in the face of Japanese aggression and declared that even if China is now beaten to her knees, she will ultimately rebuild herself into a great nation.

Miss Koo Chen-chu, daughter of Dr. Wellington Koo, declared that the Chinese must resist the aggressor. Nevertheless they bore no hatred since they were aware of the suffering peasants in Japan some of whom had even committed suicide because they were unable to pay the taxes to support the war.

The well-known Chinese writer, Yao Shin-nung, declared that the Chinese were determined to resist until the Japanese forces were entirely driven from Chinese soil.

ACTIVE SEARCH FOR PEACE

Washington, Nov. 28.
Asked at to-day's press conference what would be his policy now that the Brussels conference had adjourned, President Franklin Roosevelt said his policy would be to keep on trying in an active search for peace.

WARM WELCOME FOR PRESIDENT

Chungking, Nov. 27.
Mr. Lin Sen, President of the Chinese Republic, has arrived from Nanking and was given an enthusiastic welcome.

PRINCE BIRABONGSE ENGAGED

London, Nov. 27.
The engagement is announced, by permission of the King of Siam through the Council of Regency, between Prince Birabongse and Miss Cecil Heycock, only daughter of Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. P. R. Heycock.

Prince Birabongse, who has had a prolonged stay in England, has gained much prominence as "B. Ira," the pseudonym under which he has competed in motor-racing in this country.

FASCIST LEADER ARRESTED

Paris, Nov. 28.
The French Fascist leader, Colonel de Larocque, is the latest suspect to be arrested arising from Cagouard searches.

He is charged with associating with criminals. Fresh stores of arms have been discovered near Paris.

BRITISH VESSEL FOUNDERING NEAR HAITI

London, Nov. 28.
A British steamer which is foundering near Haiti, reported yesterday that she is in a serious plight now, with nine feet of water in her forward hold.

It is understood that some of the crew have been taken off by another British steamer which is standing by.

All ships passing in the vicinity are requested to look out for lifeboats or survivors.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 29.

Anniversaries and Holidays.—Donizetti born, 1798. J. M. Charcot born, 1825.

Auctions.—Crown Lands, at P. W. D. Offices, 3 p.m.; Stamps, at Lammert's Sales Room, 5.15 p.m.; Miscellaneous Goods and Household Furniture, at Lammert's Sales Room, 10.30 a.m.

Cinemas.—(See Page 5).
Dances.—Flannel Dance at Hotel Cecil, 8.30 p.m.

Meetings.—Annual of Girl Guides Association, Hong Kong Branch, at Sandilands Hut, 10.30 a.m.; Half-Yearly, of Hong Kong Jockey Club Voting Members at Club House, Happy Valley, 5.30 p.m.; Annual of Boy Scouts Association, Hong Kong Branch, in St. John's Cathedral Hall, 5.30 p.m. presided by H.E. the Governor; Volunteer Nursing Detachment, at P.W.D. Offices 5.30 p.m.

Miscellaneous.—Chinese Art Exhibition at China Building, 8th floor, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Moon.—X Moon, 27th Day.
Rehearsals.—"The Arcadians" at Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden, 5.30 p.m.

Social.—Y.M.C.A. Service Men's Whist Drive, 9 p.m.

Sports.—(See Page 10).
Sunrise.—6.45 a.m. Sunset.—5.38 p.m.

Tides.—High at 07.20 and 19.15; Low at 01.15 and 12.18.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30.

Cinemas.—(See Page 5).
Mails.—(See Page 16).

Miscellaneous.—Rotary Lunch, Hong Kong Hotel, 1 p.m.
Moon.—X Moon, 28th Day.
Sports.—(See Page 10).
Sunrise.—6.44 a.m. Sunset.—5.38 p.m.

Tides.—High at 06.06 and 18.42; Low at 00.20 and 11.40.

CIVIL SERVICE

Salaries Conversion

The "Gazette" contains the draft of a Bill Intituled An Ordinance to fix the rate at which the sterling salaries of public officers shall be paid, in this Colony, cited as the Sterling Salaries Conversion Ordinance, 1937.

The object of this Bill is to make provision in the year 1938 for the payment in this Colony of the sterling salaries of public officers in the Hong Kong Government service at a rate similar to the rate at which such salaries were paid in 1937.

Clause 3 in which the rate is fixed at 1/3 to the dollar, is based upon section 2 (5) of the Hong Kong Government Service (Levy on Salaries) Ordinance, 1937, Ordinance No. 2 of 1937, which expires on 31st December, 1937, and is repealed by clause 7.

Clause 2 defines the expressions "Treasury rate" and "Widows and Orphans' Pension Contribution" and clauses 4 and 5 reproduce the provisions of sections 6 (1) and 7 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1937, respectively empowering the Legislative Council to grant exemptions by resolution and saving the rights of the Crown.

The provisions introduced by this Bill are by clause 6 thereof to have effect from 1st January, 1938, 1st December, 1938, only unless otherwise provided by Ordinance.

WHERE IS MR. T. V. SOONG?

Rumours current in Hong Kong on Saturday that Mr. T. V. Soong, President of the Bank of China, accompanied by the Mayor of Shanghai, Mr. O. K. Yiu, were in the Colony, could not be confirmed.

The vernacular newspapers reported that several high Chinese Government officials had arrived here to meet Mr. Soong, who was expected that evening. One official was stated to have said in answer to a question: "On instructions from our superiors we are here to meet Mr. Soong and Mr. Yiu."

Mr. David Au, Manager of the local branch of the Canton Bank, however, stated that though he had received information that both had left Shanghai for an unknown destination, that destination was "definitely not Hong Kong."

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MARSHAL WU PEI-FU

May Head Government

Peiping, Nov. 27.
Chinese reports declare that Marshal Wu Pei-fu, who has lately received many highly placed callers from Chinese as well as Japanese, may shortly emerge from retirement to head a new administration in North China.

Persons close to the Marshal, when questioned, merely described the reports as premature.

Recently a reliable source reported that Marshal Wu had been asked to head a new administration by the Japanese, but the conditions under which he said he would be willing to do so were not acceptable to the Japanese.

NOT AFRAID OF FOREIGN AID TO CHINA

Tokyo, Nov. 27.
Japan is not afraid of any foreign assistance given to China, although she would object to such assistance, declared a Foreign Office spokesman.

He added: "Just change the position and you will regard the Japanese objection as being natural."
Asked by a foreign correspondent why the Japanese newspapers published only British shipments of arms and ammunition to China, the spokesman said that recently no information had been received of German and Italian shipments of arms and ammunition to China.

HITLER EXPRESSES GRATITUDE

Dr. Hjalmar Schacht Relieved Of Post

Berlin, Nov. 26.
Herr Adolf Hitler has relieved Dr. Hjalmar Schacht of his post as Minister of Economics, and appointed him Minister without portfolio. In acknowledgment of his services he remains President of the Reichsbank.

Herr Walter Funk takes over the Ministry of Economics as from December 15, General Herman Goering acting as Minister in the interim.

Herr Funk was Secretary of State in the Ministry of Propaganda. Der Fuehrer, in a letter to Dr. Schacht, speaks of the extraordinary service Dr. Schacht has rendered the country as Economics Minister "to the new German Reich and to me. Therefore, I was unable now to comply with your request to give up the Ministry."

After reference to the linking up of the Four Year Plan with the Ministry of Economics, Der Fuehrer expresses gratitude for Dr. Schacht's excellent work, which he was certain Dr. Schacht would continue to place at the disposal of Germany as President of the Reichsbank.

"I am satisfied," writes Herr Hitler, "that you will also be my personal adviser, and I appoint you a Reich Minister."

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ATTACK ON MADRID

Much Activity
Reported

Madrid, Nov. 27.
The insurgent attack on Madrid is continuing actively while the road between the capital and Valencia was heavily bombed by enemy aircraft. Fighting on the other fronts, however, is not on a large scale.—*Reuter.*

PIERCED ALL-NIGHT BATTLE

Barcelona, Nov. 26.
Furious insurgent attacks on Government positions on the road from Ormaiztegui to Sabadell and in the Aragon sector are claimed to have been repulsed with heavy casualties after a fierce all-night battle in which Moors were used as shock troops, according to reports from Government headquarters in the north-west front.

Insurgent planes again bombed Barcelona to-day, but the damage was slight.—*Reuter.*

PALESTINE UNREST

Jerusalem, Nov. 27.
Shots were fired to-day on a patrol of the Essex Regiment, while other shooting affrays are reported from various places. A heavy attack was made on the police station at Tiberias.

Sheikh Farhan Saadi, who was sentenced to death for unlawful carrying of arms, was hanged in Acre this morning.

An Arab tried by the Military Court to-day was found not guilty. *Reuter's Bulletin Service.*

LORD BRABOURNE

London, Nov. 27.
Lord Brabourne, newly appointed Governor of Bengal, arrived in Calcutta to-day, while Sir John Anderson, the retiring Governor, sailed for England from Bombay. *Reuter's Bulletin Service.*

SOVIET'S INTENTION TO BUILD "MONSTER" BATTLESHIPS

London, Nov. 27.
The alleged intention of the Soviet to transfer its Baltic Fleet from Kronstadt to the new naval base at Polarn, on the Murman coast, is arousing much interest in the Scandinavian countries, according to a despatch from its Stockholm correspondent to the "Daily Herald."

It is stated, says the despatch, that any such action on the part of the Soviet would necessitate entire revision of naval strategy relative to the Baltic Sea.

Danish naval circles are inclined to credit the Soviet with such intention, and are considering what effect it would have upon Danish naval policy.

Reports are appearing in the Danish press to the effect that thousands of Russian workers have been enlisted for the gigantic task of converting the ice-free port of Polarn into the chief naval base of the Soviet.

Plans, it is said, include construction of large dockyards and an entire chain of air-fields along the Murman coast.

The "Daily Herald" also speaks of the Soviet's intention to build "monster" battleships.—*Transocean.*

ULTRA-MODERN FLYINGBOATS

Soviet Buying New Fleet
From United States

Moscow, Nov. 28.
The Soviet Union is to receive a fleet of new ultra-modern flying-boats from the United States, according to press reports.

First of the new craft has already been completed in America, and embodies many construction innovations.

Trial flights are now being conducted and the plane will be delivered in Russia at the end of the year.

It will be followed by a number of other planes of the same type.—*Transocean.*

INDIAN SCIENCE ASSOCIATION

London, Nov. 27.
The British Association Delegation to the 25th Anniversary Celebrations of the Indian Science Association, which will be held at the beginning of January at Calcutta, have left England for India.—*British Wireless.*

MYSTERIOUS ARMS PLOT

French Political
Sensation

General Duseigneur To
Stand Trial Before
Highest Tribunal

Paris, Nov. 27.
General Duseigneur, the retired air force officer, who together with M. Eugene Deloncle, the well-known consulting engineer, was arrested by the French police in connection with the mysterious arms plot, will be brought up for trial before the highest tribunal in the country.

This means that he will be charged with having conspired against the State.

A trial of this kind is bound to become a political sensation of the first order, particularly as the Cour de Cassation, the highest tribunal in France, has met only on rare occasions for many years.

Meanwhile, the police have made further arrests, their latest "bag" being an engineer named Parent.

The police raided his flat, where they found a quantity of arms, including machine-guns, that had been stolen on March 18 from the barracks at Laon.

Counsel for the accused men has requested the examining judge to alter the wording of the charge, which in its present form speaks of the "association of evil-doers," which brands the men as criminals instead of as political offenders.—*Transocean.*

PARIS EXHIBITION

Paris, Nov. 26.
Altogether thirteen million people visited the Paris Exhibition which closed to-day. Five million are reported to have inspected the British section of the exhibition.

It is not known whether the exhibition will be definitely closed or the French Parliament will vote necessary funds to keep it going until the next spring.—*Reuter's Bulletin Service.*

"PREVENTIVE WAR" ADVOCATES

Japan's Mobilisation
Against Russia

London, Nov. 27.
That tension in the relations between Japan and the Soviet is constantly increasing, is asserted by the Shanghai correspondent of the "Daily Herald" in a message appearing in yesterday's issue of the Labour organ.

The correspondent declares that the Soviet authorities, who are greatly worried by reports that allegedly about 500,000 Japanese troops are now concentrated on the frontiers of Manchukuo and in Inner Mongolia, recently sent 160 pursuit planes to Sian.

The planes have been taken over by the former Red Army. Besides the planes sent to Sian, the Soviet is said to have concentrated about 1,500 planes in the Far Eastern Provinces of the Soviet Union.

In its comment on this report, the "Daily Herald" recalls that certain Japanese military circles are advocating a "preventive war" against the Soviet, and expresses the fear that Japan may seize the Soviet military concentrations in the Far East as a pretext for general mobilisation against Russia.—*Transocean.*

MODERN TRAFFIC NEEDS

London, Nov. 27.
Not even the City of London, home of tradition, can resist the urgent demands of modern traffic needs, and it is stated that the corporation proposes to widen Bishop's Gate, at a point near Saint Botolph's Church. The estimated cost is £168,000.—*British Wireless.*

FRANCO LIKELY TO BE DISAPPOINTED

London, Nov. 27.
General Franco's assumption that withdrawal of 3,000 of his foreign troops should suffice to obtain recognition of belligerent rights, has found favour with neither France, Britain nor the Soviet, says the "Daily Express."

The paper learns from a reliable source that belligerent rights will not be granted until three quarters of the entire foreign fighting forces have been withdrawn from Spain.—*Transocean.*

PRESENT DIFFICULTIES

Can Be Overcome
Only By Confidence
And Good Intentions

London, Nov. 27.

Although the general belief prevails in British political circles that the foreign situation has undergone a distinct improvement as a result of Mr. Neville Chamberlain's statement on the Hitler-Hallifax talks, and also the impending visit to London of the French Premier and Foreign Secretary, nevertheless the London press deems it necessary to warn the public against too much optimism at the present juncture.

Problems that have to be tackled are too complicated and far-reaching in character to warrant hope of finding early solution to them.

"The Times," in a leading article, sees a possible basis of Anglo-German rapprochement already provided in Herr Hitler's policy as illustrated in conclusion of the recent Anglo-German Naval Agreement.

GERMANY'S ARDENT DEMAND

The Journal refers to the impending Anglo-French discussions as a logical continuation of British policy of getting to know the other man's point of view, and reveals that the German Government had been informed by Downing Street of the French visit to London.

British policy cannot be placed under the suspicion of trying to undermine the Rome-Berlin axis, as any such attempt would be the purest folly and would be bound to end in failure.

Present difficulties can be overcome only by confidence and good intentions.

Germany's ardent demand for recognition of equal rights can very well be understood in London, and should undoubtedly become the object of negotiations.

The "Daily Mail" makes a stand in favour of personal contact between statesmen instead of general conferences, which it says have fallen into discredit.

The "Daily Express" understands that the Anglo-French talks will be of a purely informal character.—*Transocean.*

The Late Mr. Ramsay MacDonald

Body Cremated After
Service

London, Nov. 27.
The body of the late Mr. Ramsay MacDonald was cremated yesterday after the service in the Abbey and his ashes were taken last night to Lissiemouth where to-day, after the family service at his house, "The Killocks," and the service in Synnle Churchyard attended by villagers, they were laid in the grave where his wife, Mrs. Margaret MacDonald was buried in 1911. The Glasgow Orpheus Choir under Sir Hugh Robertson, took part in both services.—*British Wireless.*

MOTHER AND CHILD DAY

Rome, Nov. 27.
For the fifth year, Christmas Eve is to be celebrated in Italy as "Mother and Child Day," by order of the Duce.

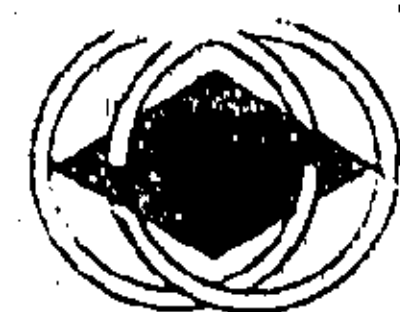
On Dec. 21, Signor Mussolini will receive in the Palazzo Venezia those parents who in the last twelve years have presented the state with the greatest number of children.

The Finance Ministry has published regulations giving effect to the recent decree that families with five or more children should enjoy lighter taxation.

At the same time the Bachelor Tax will be extended to include officers and non-commissioned officers of the army, navy and air force, if the men are over 25 and are unmarried.—*Transocean.*

BOMBING RAIDS ON ALL FRONTS

Barcelona, Nov. 28.
Nationalist airmen spent one of their busiest days in the war yesterday, bombing raids occurring on all fronts. No estimate of the casualties and damage has been issued.—*Transocean.*



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THE SERVICES

(By The Air Mail, London Nov. 13.)

ROYAL NAVY

H.M.S. BIRMINGHAM FOR CHINA

The new cruiser Birmingham has been commissioned with a reduced crew from the Portsmouth Depot. At Portsmouth she completed to full crew on November 23, and will leave about two months later for the China Station, where she is to take the place of the Cornwall, which has been allocated to the 2nd Cruiser Squadron, Home Fleet.

The Birmingham is commanded by Captain C. F. Harris who joined her in August after being Director of the Naval Air Division. She is the last of the four cruisers of the 1934 programme to go into service, the others being the Glasgow and Sheffield, in the 2nd Cruiser Squadron, and the Aurora, which has just been commissioned for service as destroyer flagship in the Mediterranean.

ENTRY OF ARTIFICERS

In spite of the competition of the other Services, and of industry generally, the recruiting of qualified tradesmen for the artificer branches of the Navy has shown a welcome expansion. Ships can be built more quickly than fully qualified artificers can be trained, and though the increased needs will eventually be supplied by the apprentices now under training in the mechanical training establishments, the rapid expansion of the Navy now in progress demands direct entry of fully trained men to bridge the gap. It was in this department of manning that signs of scarcity were manifested earlier in the year, but it is satisfactory to recall that the leeway is now being made up to some extent, though not so completely that efforts of the recruiting staffs can yet be relaxed.

COMMAND OF THE IMPULSIVE

Lieutenant-Commander W. S. Thomas has been selected to command the new destroyer Impulsive, fitting out at the works of J. S. White and Co. Limited, Cowes. He has been serving at the Tactical School since relinquishing command in the spring of the destroyer Skate, attached to the Vernon torpedo school. The Impulsive is the last of the eight vessels of the Intrepid class, of the 1935 programme, and is to join the 3rd Flotilla in the Mediterranean in place of the Antelope, now in the Portsmouth Local Flotilla.

SIGNAL SCHOOL STAFF

Commander B. R. Willett, D.S.C., has been appointed to the staff of the Signal School, Portsmouth, and will succeed Commander F. J. Wylie in the experimental department. Commander Willett, who gained the D.S.C. in command of a coastal motor-boat in action in 1918, specialized in signals in 1920-21 and was selected for the advanced course at Greenwich. He was squadron signal officer in the 3rd Battle Squadron and Battle-Cruiser Squadron before his promotion in 1931, and has since served in the Tactical Division at the Admiralty and as executive officer of the Dunedin on the New Zealand Station.

NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments are made by the Admiralty:—
K. D. Macphail, to Drake (Nov. 30); R. Alexander, to Wrestler, in command (Dec. 1); H. G. D. de Chair to Scout (Dec. 2).

Temp. R.C. Chaplains.—The Rev. R. Catterall, to Barham; the Rev. M. Egan, to Victory for R.N. Hospital; the Rev. T. A. Giles, to Drake, for R.N.B. (Nov. 16); the Rev. E. Dewey, to Caledonia (undated).

Lts.—D. S. Johnston, to Warspite; J. H. Hamilton, to Nelson; A. D. Robin, to Excellent (Nov. 22); L. D. G. Kenny, Scout; R. T. Shaw to Glorious (Dec. 6); E. K. U. Clark, M.V., and I. F. M. Newham, to President for course at R.N. College, Greenwich (Jan. 6).

Temp. Instr. Lts.—V. Lamb, W. H. Watts, L. C. Eyphick, J. R. Thorp, G. W. Sheppard, to President for course (Dec. 6).

Surg. Lt.—E. L. Littledale, to Caledonia (Sept. 29).

Payr. Lt.—A. D. Gilbert, to Victory (Nov. 18).

Act. Payr. Sub-Lt.—M. Rogers, to Sussex (Nov. 10).

PROMOTIONS

Act. Sub-Lts.—W. Crawford, W. W. Dennis, to rank of Sub-Lt. (confirmed) (seny. May 16 and Nov. 16, 1936, respectively); M. I. Kennard, P. F. S. Gould, to rank of Sub-Lt. (confirmed) (seny. March 16 and Aug. 1 respectively).

THE ARMY

ONE OF THE FIRST WELSH GUARDS

A presentation was made recently to Brevet Major and Quartermaster W. Stevenson, M.B.E., D.C.M., M.M., late Welsh Guards, in recognition of his 22 years' service with the regiment—in fact, since its formation.

The presentation took the form of a piece of plate and a sum of money, and was made by Colonel W. Murray-Threipland, D.S.O., Colonel of the Regiment. Colonel Murray-Threipland emphasized how it was necessary for a man of great tact and organizing ability to fill the post of sergeant-major of a newly-formed battalion, and that Major Stevenson (then Sergeant-Major Stevenson) possessed all those qualities.

Brigadier-General Rose Price spoke of the years 1920-24, when he was in command of the 1st Battalion. He said that those years represented the transformation to a peace-time basis, and in his task he found the assistance of Sergeant-Major Stevenson invaluable.

THE DURHAM LIGHT INFANTRY

The 2nd Battalion, The Durham Light Infantry, have taken up duty at Inkerrian Barracks, Woking, as part of the 6th Infantry Brigade. The battalion takes the place of the regiment's 1st Battalion, which is now at Shanghai.

ARMY APPOINTMENTS IN INDIA

The Commander-in-Chief in India has made the following appointments:—

Lieutenant-Colonel V. C. Cassidy, O.B.E., R.I.A.S.C., as Deputy Director of Transport at Army Headquarters, in place of Colonel F. P. Barnes, D.S.O., O.B.E.

Lieutenant-Colonel N. G. R. Coats, 13th F.F.R., as Assistant Adjutant-General - Northern Command, "vice" Colonel A. B. McPherson, M.V.O., M.C.

Major A. C. Willson, D.S.O., M.C., Royal Tank Corps, as D.A.A.G., Deccan District, in place of Major W. A. Trott, M.C.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

INSTRUCTORS RE-GRADED

The following officers and airman pilots have been recategorized as flying instructors by the Central Flying School:—

A.2 to A.1.—Flight Lieutenant F. S. Wakeham, Pilot Officer A. A. F. Hickman, Flight Sergeant P. C. Cox, and Sergeants S. W. Bannister and F. H. Giedhill.

B. to A.2.—Flight Lieutenants G. W. Montagu, J. F. Stephens, and N. D. Crockett; Pilot Officer S. Lugg; Flight Sergeants J. N. Ogilvie, W. J. Rye, and K. S. Smith; Sergeants B. E. Crawley, R. C. A. Mann, E. J. Irish, and H. Ledger.

Captain A. D. Irvine, South African Air Force, who recently attended a refresher course at the school, was assessed at "B" category standard as a flying instructor.

FUNERAL OF MRS. ANNIE BUNJE

The funeral of the late Mrs. Annie Dorothea Bunje, widow of the late Capt. E. Theo. Bunje, who died on Friday at the age of 72, was held in the Colonial Cemetery, Happy Valley, on Saturday afternoon, when the Rev. D. Rosen-thall, of Christ Church, Kowloon Tong, officiated. Mrs. Bunje was the mother of Dr. F. Bunje, local physician, Mr. H. F. Bunje, of the Asiatic Petroleum Company, and Mr. C. Bunje, who is at present abroad.

She was buried in the same grave as her husband, who died in February, 1915, at the age of 62.

The chief mourners were Dr. and Mrs. F. Bunje and Mr. and Mrs. H. Bunje.

Among those present were Messrs. E. Abraham, R. Abraham, G. Abraham, K. Sayer, J. P. Ulder-up, Ho Wing, J. Van der Lely, H. A. Lammert, Dr. S. S. Strahan, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Andrewes, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. S. Webb, Mrs. Spittles, Mr. H. V. Stokely and others, including Sisters of the French Convent.

According to a report she made, three men are alleged to have held up Fong Kiu, 37-year-old amah, and robbed her of a watch valued at \$40 at Shelley Street, near Mosque Street, on Friday afternoon. The police are making enquiries, but so far no arrests have been made.

ST. ANDREW'S MESSAGE TO THE WORLD

On the occasion of the Patronal Festival and Thanksgiving Day at St. Andrew's Church yesterday, the Vicar, Rev. J. R. Elgers, preached on St. Andrew's message to the world to-day. He said in part:

It is not too much to say that at this time of the year St. Andrew is by far the most popular saint in Christendom. For that we have to thank our brethren from the north of the Tweed. They see to it that he is! Wherever Scotsmen inhabit the earth their Patron Saint will never be numbered with the unremembered saints of the Church.

Now the message of a Saint's Day is the production of concrete evidence that the spiritual purpose of God can control and humanise the forces of life. The forces of life. The forces which threaten to clash need no such thing. It is in proving this point that the sanctity of the Saint shines forth. They have dared to look at the paradoxical truth that man simply has to have his head in the air, if he is to keep his feet on the ground.

Now in the life of Saint Andrew himself we are allowed to see three practical effects of the following of Christ. He introduces to the presence of Christ: first of all his own brother Simon; secondly, the lad with the loaves and fishes; and thirdly, the Greeks who were anxious to see Christ at the feast.

THREE EFFECTS

The first practical effect of saintliness is to sanctify the powers of natural affection. The desire to have Christ control all in which we are naturally involved is a sane proof of the naturalness of the supernatural; there are other things later in his life, but Andrew starts at the nearest human relationship.

He leads us to realise that it is of God's providence that we are born in some one nation, in some set of circumstances and with some special set of friends. I believe that in this Andrew directs us to home life and patriotism—love of home and love of country. We must spiritualise our natural affection and Christenise our patriotism.

The second practical effect of St. Andrew's contact with Christ was the introduction to our Lord of the lad with the loaves and fishes. The needs of a vast concourse of people are met as the result of surrendering to Christ the natural possessions of the youth. And isn't this another of our central problems to-day? However the chasm between youth and middle age has arisen amongst us one thing is certain. If the fresh contribution of present-day youth cannot be really introduced to the Lord of all Good Life, the needs of our age will not be met.

CHRISTIAN IDEAL

The third practical effect of St. Andrew's contact with Christ was the introduction to our Lord of the Greeks, who said at the feast, "Sir, we would see Jesus." Now as the Greeks were historically the source of so much that is valuable in the world's culture and civilisation, we may interpret this incident as illustrating the vital necessity of Christianising our culture of civilisation.

"The great question which is being asked of our generation is, Do we believe that society can be organised apart from God, or is religion in fact the only real basis of obligation in all these spheres? While we put off facing this issue freedom degenerates into licence, scepticism causes an unprecedented flight from reason, scientific inventions threaten to destroy their devotees, organisation strips inspiration. The only thing which is quite certain is that we must either recover the ideal of Christendom or perish."

Thus it is that the voice of St. Andrew comes to us across the centuries telling us that neither our home life nor our patriotism, neither the vigour of youth nor the cleverness of civilised man can remain sound and healthy unless in quite a new way we learn to draw our inspiration from the Lord of all Good Life.

NAVAL WEDDING

The forthcoming wedding is announced of Surgeon-Commander Charles Joseph Finnigan, Royal Navy, residing at No. 1 Garden Terrace, and Miss Mildred Kathleen Dudgeon, who is en route to the Colony by the s.s. Diomed.

WAH YAN PAST PUPILS MEET

"One-Cent-A-Day" Scheme For War Relief A Success

In order to utilise the money that would normally have been spent on the dinner and festivities for relief of war wounded and refugees in China, the annual general meeting of the Wah Yan Past Students' Association, which was held in the College Hall on Saturday evening, took the form of an informal tea party.

There was a record attendance, and entertainment was furnished by the present pupils of the College, who staged a scene from Shakespeare's "Macbeth," and acquitted themselves very well.

In his speech, Mr. Ko Fook-son, the Association's president, referred to the various activities of the Association during the past year, and particularly mentioned the work which was being done by the Wah Yan War Relief Association. This body, he said, was jointly formed early last September by past and present boys with the object of undertaking useful work for the relief of suffering amongst wounded soldiers and civilians in the disturbed areas. Rev. Father Gallagher and Rev. Father Ryan originated the "One-Cent-a-Day" movement, which had proved to be a success, and the collections had in about two months amounted to nearly \$2,500.

WORKING CENTRE

With this sum, the Association was able to maintain a working centre where many ladies, most of them friends of members, were helping to make winter coats, bandages, dabs, swabs and other things needed for relief work. Mrs. Kwan Man-kwal, the wife of the Honorary Treasurer of the Association, was in charge, and she was being assisted by many voluntary helpers, including members of the St. Joan of Arc Association and girls of the Italian Convent. On behalf of the Past Students' Association and the Wah Yan War Relief Association, Mr. Ko tendered his thanks to all these helpers, and appealed to all past pupils of the College to give continued support to the work.

The following office-bearers for the 1937-1938 session were elected: President, Mr. Ko Fook-son; Vice-Presidents, Rev. Father R. W. Gallagher and Mr. Joseph Ng; Hon. Secretary, Mr. Chan Fook-hong; Hon. Treasurer, Mr. Kwan Man-kwal; Council members, Rev. Father T. Ryan, Messrs. Yue Shou-san, Tam Sik-poon, Ho Ka-ki, Wong Wing-kit, Lim How-ping, Wong Yuk-shu, Cheng Fook-chol, Yeung Yue-lam and Fung Kwok-wah. Hon. Auditors, Messrs. Chan Kam-to and Fok Wai.

LOCAL WEDDINGS

Mr. Frank Cecil Manning of the Public Works Department, second son of the late Charles and Mrs. Manning of Plymouth, was married to Miss Mary Isobel Edwards, of Mountain Ash, Glamorgan, South Wales, by the Rev. H. W. Baines at St. John's Cathedral on Saturday.

The bride was given away by Mr. N. J. Bebbington, while Mrs. N. J. Bebbington was the matron of honour. Mr. R. Thompson was best man. After the ceremony, a reception was held at No. 3 Ventris Road.

The honeymoon is being spent in the Philippines.

PORTUGUESE COUPLE

Miss Olga Maria de Castro Basto, eldest daughter of Mr. B. de Castro Basto, became the bride of Mr. Fernando Jose dos Remedios, eldest son of Mrs. S. M. dos Remedios at St. Teresa's Church.

The bride was given away by her father, and was attended by Miss S. M. dos Remedios and Miss A. M. Noronha, as bridesmaids. Mr. J. E. da Rocha was the best man.

After the ceremony, which was conducted by the Reverend Fr. Granelli, assisted by the Reverend Fr. Angeles, a reception was held at No. 29, Granville Road.

BAZAARS

The annual Diocesan Bazaar will be held in the grounds of St. Paul's College and the Bishop's House on Saturday, December 4, at 11 a.m.

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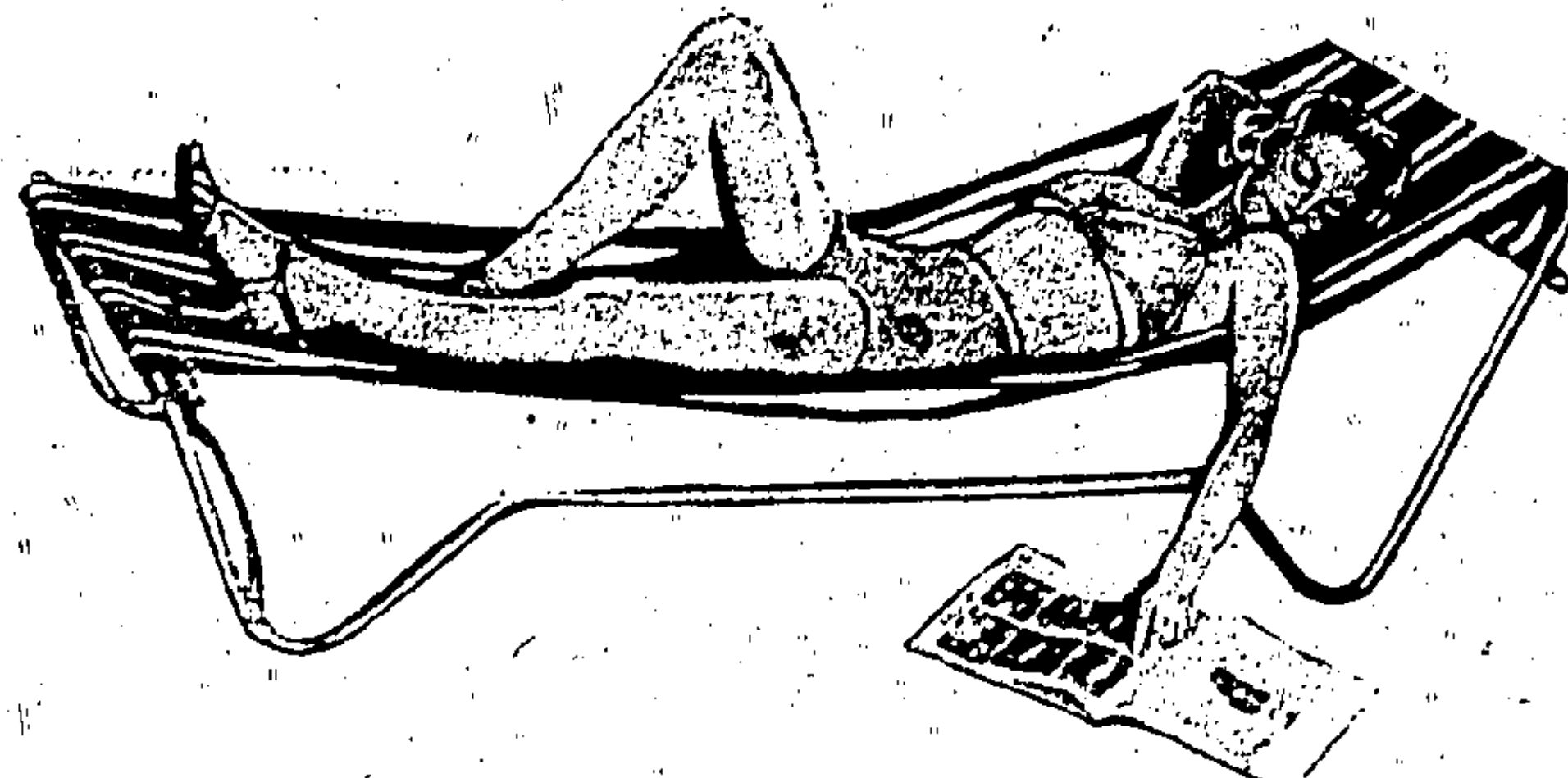
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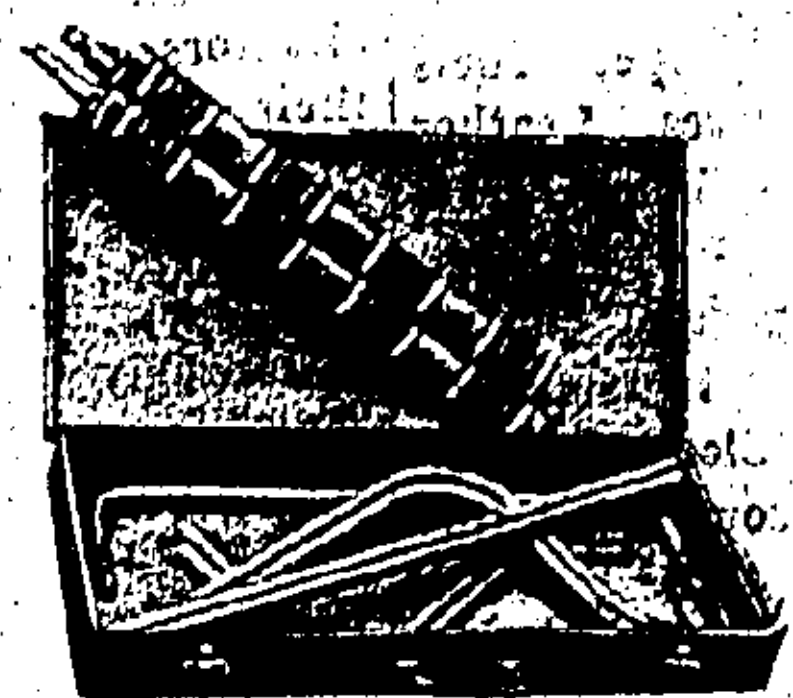
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By Order,
C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.
Hong Kong, 29th Nov., 1937.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

NOTICE

THE NOVEMBER HALF-YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of VOTING MEMBERS will be held at the Club House, Happy Valley, on MONDAY, 29th November, 1937, at 5.30 p.m.

ALL MEMBERS are cordially invited to attend and participate in any discussion which may ensue.

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NOTICE is also hereby given that the Singapore Transfer Registers will be closed from Wednesday, 8th December, to Tuesday, 14th December 1937, both days inclusive, for the preparation of Dividend Warrants.

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Hongkong Bank Chambers,
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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG

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HONG KONG, NOVEMBER 29, 1937.

CHINESE CUSTOMS SERVICE

It was announced over the week-end that the Japanese were taking over the Chinese postal, telegraphic, radio and broadcasting services, and though they have not actually assumed control of the Chinese Maritime Customs Service, they have already installed a few subordinate officers in this department, presumably with a view to eventually usurping authority.

That this will lead to considerable difficulties, providing it does come about, there is no doubt. The Customs revenues function as pledge for foreign loans. The United States of America has, for instance, been quick to act and has expressed to Tokyo the grave concern of her Government respecting any attempt to interfere with the integrity of the Chinese Maritime Customs system. Great Britain, too, has taken a similar line of action while France, like the other two Powers just mentioned, has intimated that the "French Government claim to be consulted in any arrangements about the Chinese Customs."

Where there had been so many useless talks and conferences in the other matters respecting the Far East, it is gratifying that three of the leading Powers have acted with a spontaneity that borders on the closest co-operation, in this latest phase of the Sino-Japanese conflict. And so it should be, for these three Powers have fast interests in the loans secured by the Customs. It is only to be expected that they will not countenance any interference that must inevitably have an adverse effect on their investments.

It was in 1843 that Shanghai was declared an open port and a Customs House was established. Ten years later the native city of Shanghai fell into the hands of the Taipings and with it the Customs House. After an interval, during which no duties were collected, the British and American Consuls in Shanghai decided that their respective nationals had to continue to declare the nature of their imports and exports and to pay or to deposit bonds for the payment of a five per cent duty. This system lasted until June 29, 1854 when an agreement was made with the Shanghai Tientsin that a Customs Service should be established under foreign control, each of the Consuls of Great Britain, the United States of America and France nominating an inspector.

From that time up till to-day the Customs Service has had an unblemished record. Amongst

other things Mr. H. N. Lay, who after the Treaty of Tientsin became the first Inspector General of the Customs Service, had elaborated a scheme for the purchase of revenue cruisers by China for the purpose of suppressing piracy. His action was repudiated by the Chinese authorities and after some disagreement Mr. Lay resigned. Since then, however, the Customs cruisers have been re-introduced and have done excellent work—that is until the present hostility broke out and these cruisers, which are no larger than steam launches, were menaced by Japanese warships. In the North the Japanese actually seized a whole fleet of them, and while no undue significance was attached to the action at the time it is now generally accepted that it was the first step on the part of the Japanese to take control of this department.

The reason for this is not hard to seek. The Service collects all

the duties leviable under the treaties on foreign trade in China, and also on all the coastal trade so far as carried on by vessels of foreign build, whether Chinese or foreign owned.

To sum up the position, the Customs Service is one of the most revenue producing departments in the Government of China and obviously the Japanese are trying to take over the reins from the Chinese. The question, however, now remains to be asked. Will they? Great Britain, the United States of America and France have definitely different views on the subject and if Japan were to forcibly take control of the system she will first have to satisfy these three Powers that their interests will not suffer as a result of the change, but we are not sure whether the Powers can be convinced at all. At the same time this is all Chinese property and they have honoured all their Foreign Loans.

WAR ACTIVITIES IN SOUTH CHINA

(November 28, 1937)

Despite the fact that the Japanese air force have been steadily bombing Canton and the neighbouring places for some weeks past, they have not, apart from causing death and destruction amongst the innocent civilians, scored what might be termed strategic successes. Since the commencement of these unwarranted assaults on South China, some 900 to 1000 bombs must have been dropped at various points of the Canton-Hankow Railway but the fact that the train services were never held up for any very lengthy period speaks volumes for the splendid organisation of the repair work on the part of the Chinese, and mighty little for the marksmanship of the Japanese!

The Canton-Kowloon Railway, the Chinese section of which was built with a big British loan which has not yet been repaid, was left alone by the raiding airmen until October 14, when assaults were launched at Tongmei and Cheungmukuan. Since then there have been repeated raids on the railway, the last one of which only occurred towards the end of this week. The Chinese railwaymen are showing the greatest courage in the face of grave personal danger, keeping up the train service despite the fact that there is no telling when a Japanese plane would swoop down from the clouds and unload its bomb-racks. That their attempts will be continued there can be little doubt, but experts who have studied the situation closely are at one in that the damaging of any railway property beyond repair, in this section of the country, is almost impossible, due principally to the poor marksmanship of the Japanese airmen coupled with the careful preparations of the Chinese.

In connection with their activities in South China, the Japanese have not merely concentrated their attention on the railways. They have also visited the Bocca Tigris and Whampoa where the Chinese have recently started the construction of a deep-water harbour. But here again no direct damage was done to any military property, the only people suffering as the result of the raids being the poor country people whose huts and villages were blown to smithereens.

With bombing from the air intensified and with the Japanese bringing their warships—thirty-six in all—up to the mouth of the Pearl River, the authorities decided, from a safety point of view, to block the river. This had the effect of bottling up the river and the vessels affected included the British river gunboat, H.M.S. Cicada. The measure affected Hong Kong-Canton trade to such an extent that many people began to ask whether the step was warranted. These talks soon spread and the Canton authorities then decided that in order to give as much assistance as possible to the tradespeople the barrier would be lifted partially. This has been done and trade between Hong Kong and Canton has been resumed, to the satisfaction of all concerned.

The Pearl River, however, is not the only waterway that has been blocked, for reports to hand indicate that to some extent, by mining, but mostly by the sinking of hulks filled with rock and concrete, ingress to Bias Bay has also been prevented. Similarly the entrances to the harbours at Hoihow, Swatow, Swabne and Ngaimun have also been closed.

In Canton itself, the populace have now become used to war conditions and a determination prevails to face the situation calmly. With a view to instilling a sense of security and guarding against undue fear and defeatism, the authorities, apart from taking the usual military precautions, have erected strong air raid shelters in various parts of the city, but even without these measures the "never say die" spirit of the Cantonese is so predominant as to augur excellently for the future.

POLICE REPORTS

Mr. F. Stapleton, of 113 Waterloo Road, has reported to the police that someone entered his residence on Friday morning and stole some shirts valued at \$10.

Suffering from the effects of a fall when he attempted to break into No. 13 Queen's Road Central early on Saturday morning, Ho Chik-sam, 22, is now in the Queen Mary Hospital receiving treatment.

JUMBLE SALE

A jumble sale will be held in the Kowloon Union Church Hall by the Women's Guild on Friday at 3 p.m.

REPEATEDLY REFUSED

Shanghai, Nov. 27. Reinforced by fresh units, Japanese troops, which have been repeatedly repulsed by the Chinese for the past several days, renewed their attacks north of Wush where brisk fighting is reported to be raging at a point 2,000 metres north of the city, according to Chinese reports.

Meanwhile a Chinese detachment which withdrew from Wush took up strongly prepared positions near Lichahang, 15 kilometres to the east and is said to be successfully holding up the Japanese advance. Despite several Japanese aerial and naval bombardments the situation at Kiangyin is unchanged. Japanese blue-jackets, however, are reported to have landed at Chang-yinsha Island on the Yangtze, east of Kiangyin.

Reuter.

IF GOSSIP WE MUST

Our weekly feature, "If Gossip We Must," will in future appear on Tuesdays instead of Mondays as heretofore.

ALLEGED FRAUDS ON CUSTOMS

Moulds Imported From France

Losses to the Government of Customs duty on metal moulds imported from France, some of which were said to have been designed for producing busts of Edward VIII, were alleged before the Lord Mayor, the Mansion House recently.

Mould Metals Ltd was summoned on two counts of causing false Customs declarations to be made. Charles Belloc Lowndes, of Elthorne-road, Holloway, was summoned on two counts for making the declarations and on two counts of being concerned in fraudulent evasion of duty. Mr. John Maude, for the defendants, pleaded not guilty on all counts.

Mr. B. M. Stephenson, prosecuting, said that the goods were metal moulds imported from France and the falsity alleged consisted in the omission from the declaration of costs of production. The declared values only included the bare cost of the metal.

Lowndes's excuse, continued Mr. Stephenson, was that someone at the Import Duties Advisory Committee had told him that he need not pay duty on the workmanship but only on cost of the metal.

As showing that Lowndes, at the time the declarations in question were made, must have known exactly how he stood, Mr. Stephenson related an incident that occurred at Croydon Airport in May, 1936.

OFFICER'S STATEMENT

Lowndes, he said, arrived from Paris by an Imperial Airways liner on the evening of May 25 when Customs landing officers were not on duty. Lowndes represented to Imperial Airways that his business was most urgent. He had moulds for the production of busts of King Edward VIII, and he said that work on the busts would be delayed, unless he could get the moulds cleared right away. An officer went out of his way to help him, and Lowndes declared the value of a mould at £5.

The officer pointed out clearly that duty had to be paid on the French workmanship and, after some discussion, demanded payment of duty based on a £9 value. The amount upon which duty should have been paid, however, was £30.

If Lowndes was genuinely under the impression that he had only to pay on the cost of the metal, there was no reason why he should have made an incorrect Customs declaration. The loss of duty in the cases before the court was £13 18s 5d, but there were other instances which involved a total loss of revenue up to £247.

The hearing was adjourned. In another case fines amounting to £60, with 10 guineas costs, were inflicted upon Louis Henri Gabriel Gourier, of Monks avenue, New Barnet, for making false Customs declarations and being concerned in an attempt at the evasion of duties on metal goods imported from France.

"Feeler" Operations

Major Battle On The Aragon Front Imminent

Madrid, Nov. 27. The first rumblings of what may prove to be a major battle on the Aragon front were heard to-day when large "feeler" operations were fought on this front.

In the region of Villagranca de Ebro, the Government claims to have inflicted heavy losses on the enemy.

In the Teruel sector, Government troops captured Hill 1450, north-west of Liron.

An announcement in Barcelona says that a squadron of about twenty insurgent bombers raided the town of Tarazona, an important railway junction 80 kilometres south-east of Madrid, yesterday.

The raiders dropped dozens of bombs, which are admitted to have caused serious damage. Most trains for Madrid have to pass through the junction, which

M.C.L. TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Enjoyable Event

The third annual tennis tournament in aid of the Ministering Children's League, organised this year by Mrs. F. H. Crapnell, was held at the Peak Club yesterday afternoon.

Mr. M. H. Turner, in a speech, said he had had a very pleasant afternoon as he felt sure was also the experience of others present. This was due to the energy of Mrs. Crapnell and her helpers and he hoped the tournament would continue to be held annually. He then asked Mrs. King to present the prizes. About \$230 was realised.

Prize winners were as follows: Section No. 1.—Mr. N. L. Rall-ton, Mrs. Oliver; No. 2.—Lt. Wood, Miss Joan Armstrong; No. 3.—Mr. E. H. Williams, Miss Griffiths; No. 4.—Mr. H. J. Armstrong, Mrs. Prior; No. 5.—Hon. Mr. R. M. Henderson, Mrs. Whyte Smith; No. 6.—Prof. F. A. Redmond, Mrs. Newbigin; No. 7.—Mr. G. W. Sewell, Mrs. Armstrong.

Consolation Prizes:—Major Archer, Miss Pat Austin.

FINALISTS
Winners: Mr. G. W. Sewell, Mrs. Armstrong. Runners-Up: Prof. F. A. Redmond, Mrs. Newbigin. On behalf of the M.C.L. Mrs. Crapnell wishes to thank those who supplied cakes and sandwiches. Also Messrs. John D. Hutchison & Co., Johnnie Walker whiskey; King's Dispensary, British American Tobacco Co.; Dodwell & Co.; Lane Crawford, Ltd.; Dairy Farm Co. Ltd.; Gande Price & Co.; Shing Fat; Tabacqueria Filipina.

Donations were received from following who did not play: Mrs. E.B.C. Dicken, Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo, Mrs. Forrest, Mrs. Finnie, L. Walker, E. T. McMullen, J. R. Paton, V. R. Gordon, C. C. Stark, L.H.C. Calthrop.

KWANGSI AIR CRASH

Pilot And Mechanic Killed In Accident To Passenger Plane

Canton, Nov. 27. A giant passenger plane of the South-West Aviation Corporation crashed at the western frontier of Kwangsi near Lungchow on Nov. 24 on its way to Hanol. The pilot and mechanic were killed, while the co-pilot and some of the passengers were injured, according to a report received here to-day.

Details of the crash-up are not yet available. It is believed that engine trouble was the cause of the incident. The Canton-Hanol air service is undertaken by the South-West Aviation Corporation to connect with the French air line for Marseilles—International News Agency.

ALL FRONTS QUIET

Peking, Nov. 28. All the northern fronts continue to be quiet, said a military spokesman, except that yesterday morning Japanese planes bombed the railway between Tientsin and Tientsin, disturbing rail traffic. The general opinion here is that the north will show little change until Nanking is taken, after which further developments are likely.—Reuter.

JAPANESE INSTITUTE MARTIAL LAW

Tientsin, Nov. 27. Japanese military authorities and the police in the Chinese city and special areas have instituted a regime equivalent to martial law following reports that plainclothes Chinese gunmen have arrived in Tientsin.

All Chinese entering and leaving Japanese-occupied Chinese areas are being searched, and Japanese armed police are making house-to-house inspections.

Similar precautions are being taken in the villages around Tientsin.

While no details are yet available, it is understood that a shooting affair occurred in a village in the southern suburbs, after which many arrests were made.—Reuter.

leads to the opinion that the insurgents are to intensify their efforts to starve out the old capital.—Transocean.

CHINESE TROOPS WITHDRAW FROM WUSHI

Crack Reinforcements Rushed To New Defence Line

Nanking, Nov. 28: Chinese forces withdrew from Wushi on the morning of November 26 and from Changling on the night of November 25, according to military reports received here.

The new Chinese defence line, the reports state, now runs from Kiangyin, strategic town on the south bank of the Yangtze River, to Shih-tangwan, a station west of Wushi on the Nanking-Shanghai Railway and then on the west bank of Taihu Lake. Crack Chinese reinforcements have been rushed to these points to halt further Japanese advance, and meanwhile, the garrison at Kwan-tai on the Anhwei-Chekiang border has been strengthened.

Over 2,000 Japanese troops were killed during their three-day attacks on Changling, whilst Chinese casualties were also heavy, the reports revealed.

BLOODY BATTLE
Determined to make the Japanese pay the heaviest price for every inch of territory gained, the Chinese forces put up the stiffest resistance at Hsuehwan Wang-tung and Chow-chin-hang, stations between Soochow and Wushi. Only after suffering a heavy loss of lives during repeated bloody engagements did they succeed in reaching Shih-tangwan, a point about 10 kilometres northeast of Wushi on the night of November 25, the reports said.

With the Chinese forces at Changling withdrawn to I-hing that same night, those units defending Wushi, the reports state, had to withdraw westward to Shih-tangwan the next morning in order to consolidate their positions.

KIANGSU PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT REMOVED

Chinkiang, Nov. 28: With hostilities brought nearer and nearer to Chinkiang, the capital of Kiangsu, the Kiangsu Provincial Government was removed yesterday to a "certain town" on the north bank of the Yangtze River.

SUIYUAN MONGOLS TO RESIST JAPANESE

Linfen, Nov. 28: The Mongol banners and leagues in Suiyuan are indignant at Prince Teh's surrender to Japan and are arming and training themselves to resist her aggression, according to Mongol representatives who arrived to-day from Suiyuan on foot. They are on their way to the national capital to seek instructions from the Central authorities on protracted resistance to Japan.

JAPANESE AERODROME RAIDED

Hsinhsiang, Nov. 28: More than 10 Japanese warplanes were destroyed, and a detachment of Japanese troops were annihilated during a surprise raid by the Chinese forces in combination with volunteer units on the Japanese aerodrome at Hantan on the Peiping-Hankow Railway in South Hopei, on November 25, a new arrival from that town revealed.

Angered by the assistance rendered by the volunteers to the Chinese forces, the Japanese, he said, dispatched a squadron of warplanes to subject the surrounding villages to severe bombings. Hundreds of villagers were ruthlessly killed and their houses and farms reduced to a shambles. Deprived of their homes and possessions, the survivors, he further reported, are organising themselves into new volunteer units, bent on vengeance on the Japanese.

SANGUINARY BATTLE NEAR KIANGYIN

Nanking, Nov. 28: One of the most sanguinary battles in the Kiangyin sector so far was fought at Huashan in the afternoon of November 26, states a military report just received here.

In an attempt to dislodge the Chinese forces at Kiangyin, Japanese mechanized units, numbering about 1,000 strong, advanced toward Kiangyin from Huashan, about 40 kilometres northwest of Changshu. They were met by Chinese forces at Huashan in the vicinity of Kiangyin.

In the ensuing battle, which lasted about three hours, the Japanese were vigorously repulsed, after having sustained considerable casualties.

The morale of the Chinese forces in the Kiangyin sector is said to have heightened after this success.

SOVIET PLANES FOR CHINA

Japanese Press Report

Tokyo, Nov. 28: Three hundred planes have been supplied to China by Soviet Russia since the outbreak of hostilities in Shanghai in accordance to the "secret clauses" in the Sino-Soviet Non-Aggression Pact, says the Japanese press.

PASSPORTS NOW REQUIRED IN CANTON

Canton, Nov. 28: British subjects from Hong Kong on visit to Canton and other places in Kwangtung are required to produce passports to show that they are residents of the Colony. This ruling will come into effect on December 1.

This regulation does not apply to Chinese descents, though they may be British subjects.

It is learned that Hong Kong residents may obtain the passports from the Colonial Secretary valid for a period of one year.

TOKYO DEMARCHE TO SOVIET "Unfriendly Acts"

Tokyo, Nov. 28: A Foreign Office demarche filed with the Soviet Embassy complains of "unfriendly acts" allegedly committed against Japanese Diplomatic officials at Vladivostok, namely the denial of medical service to sick members of the Japanese Consulate-General, refusal to vize the passport of the Japanese Vice Consul-General at Vladivostok and denial of the city water service to the Japanese Consul-General. The demarche asked the Embassy to use its good offices and rectify the "distressing situation."

KIANGSU AND CHEKIANG GOVERNMENTS REORGANISED

Nanking, November 27: The Kiangsu and Chekiang Provincial Governments have been reorganised by a mandate of the National Government. The new personnel is as follows:

Kiangsu
General Ku Chu-tung, Chairman.
Mr. Han Teh-chin, Commissioner of Civil Affairs.
Mr. Chao Ti-hua, Commissioner of Finance.
Mr. Chow Fu-hai, Commissioner of Education.
Mr. Hu Chia-shao, Commissioner of Reconstruction.
Mr. Yen Chang-wu, Secretary-General.

Chekiang
General Huang Shao-hsiung, Chairman.
Mr. Wang Hsien-chang, Commissioner of Civil Affairs.
Mr. Cheng Yuan-fan, Commissioner of Finance.
Mr. Hsu Shao-ti, Commissioner of Education.
Mr. Wu Ting-yang, Commissioner of Reconstruction.

Messrs. Chow Hsiang-hsien, Chu Kung-yang, and Hsu Pan-yun, Members of the Chekiang Provincial Government.
Mr. Ho Yangling, Secretary-General.

PUBLIC OPINION IN EUROPE FAVOURABLE TO CHINA

Hankow, Nov. 27: Public opinion in Europe is sympathetic with China in her present struggle against Japanese aggression, Mr. Ku Meng-yu, former Minister of Railways, informed a representative of the Central News Agency yesterday when interviewed upon his arrival here from Hankow. Mr. Ku recently returned from a tour in Europe.

Great Britain, according to Mr. Ku, is deeply concerned with the situation in the Far East but being obsessed by European issues, she is unable to do much for the Far East.

The commercial and industrial circles in Germany, Mr. Ku said, are also sympathetic with China because of their close trade relations with her.

"AUTONOMOUS" GOVERNMENT AT CHANGTSEH

Shanghai, Nov. 27: According to Japanese reports, an "autonomous" provincial government has been established at Changtseh, an important town in north Honan, and will be formally installed on November 27.

"Daily Press" Staff Correspondent Leaves For The Front

Another Episode In Progressive Journalism

Mr. E. R. Ellis On Way To Nanking

"The Daily Press" has pleasure in informing our readers that we shall shortly publish a series of articles on the Sino-Japanese war written by a member of our own staff who is now on the way to the Nanking Battle front.

Mr. E. R. Ellis whom we have commissioned for this important task, is a journalist of repute, with wide experience. A recent arrival in Hong Kong, he was for several years sub-editor on the "Straits Times," Singapore, and has travelled extensively in the East as well as in Europe and Australia.

An attractive and forceful writer, Mr. Ellis came to Hong Kong when the possibility of a Sino-Japanese war loomed on the Far Eastern horizon and joined the staff of "The Daily Press." Ever since the outbreak of hostilities he has been a regular contributor on war topics to Malayian, Indian, Ceylon, United States and British newspapers, and he will continue these associations during his stay in China. Articles written by Mr. Ellis from the front will be published in "The Daily Press" each week as they arrive by air mail.

"The Hong Kong Daily Press" will thus be the only English newspaper in this Colony to send a member of their own staff as a special war correspondent to the firing lines, marking another episode in journalistic enterprise in which this newspaper has taken a lead since the outbreak of the war.

In a note to the Editor shortly before he left Hong Kong, Mr. Ellis discussing his trip, wrote: "You can depend on this much, I shall go wherever there is a good story to be had, the explosion of bombs and shell-fire notwithstanding."

Readers of this newspapers can, therefore, look forward to something good from the pen of this experienced and able local journalist.



Mr. Edward Ellis

JAPANESE STEADILY ADVANCING

Shanghai, Nov. 28: Japanese troops are now steadily advancing on Changchow and are now very close, according to a Japanese Army spokesman, who said that there have been no major developments on the front to-day.

JAPANESE ADVANCING IN EAST SHANSI

Linfen, Nov. 27: The Japanese troops at Yangchuan on the Chengtai Railway are reported to be pushing southward toward Hoshun and Liaohsien in east Shansi.

Chinese reinforcements have been rushed to these districts to check their advance.

JAPANESE DETACHMENT AMBUSHED

Linfen, Nov. 28: A Japanese detachment of about 1,000 men was ambushed by Chinese forces at Tzehungkow, about nine miles south of Taihu on the morning of November 25, a belated report received here reveals.

Over 300 Japanese were killed and a large number of horses and arms seized by the Chinese, the report adds.

PACT FEELERS

Washington, Nov. 27: It is reported that Germany is attempting to negotiate a trade agreement with the United States.

AMBASSADOR SUMMONED TO LONDON?

Shanghai, Nov. 28: Britain is reported to have summoned her Ambassador to Tokyo, Sir Robert Craigie, to return to London for a consultation concerning the Far Eastern situation in general and Shanghai in particular.

It is disclosed here that the Japanese Premier, Prince Fumimaro Kono was at first opposed to the threat of General Iwane Matsui, commanding Japanese troops in Shanghai, to take control over foreign settlements in Shanghai, but later he yielded to the military pressure.

JAPANESE BOMBER BROUGHT DOWN AT PINGYIN

Tsinan, Nov. 27: A Japanese bomber (No. 1208) was brought down by Chinese anti-aircraft guns at Pingyin about 60 kilometres southwest of Tsinan yesterday, both the pilot and bomber being killed, according to a report from the Chinese garrison there.

The wreckage is being transported to Tsinan for exhibition.

NO FIGHTING ON PEIPING- HANKOW RAILWAY

Hsinhsiang, Nov. 27: There has been no fighting on the Peiping-Hankow Railway during the last few days. Chinese and Japanese forces are still holding their positions at Paoliensu, 10 kilometres north of Changteh (Anyang).

CHINKIANG HEAVILY BOMBED

Nanking, Nov. 28: No less than 100 bombs were rained by Japanese planes during repeated raids on Chinkiang in the last few days. The Ta Hua Hotel, one of the biggest hotels in the city, was reduced to ruins. Scores of civilians were blasted to pieces. A number of death-dealing missiles were also unloaded on the bund.

Tanyang, east of Chinkiang on the Nanking-Shanghai Railway, was also subjected to repeated bombings. But the casualties and damage are understood to be not so heavy as those at Chinkiang.

NANKING SHOPS CLOSED

Shanghai, Nov. 27: A Nanking message states that the majority of shops there have closed and the proprietors have left. Some provision stores remain open, but the shelves are half empty. Expensive tinned goods and fine wines are the only merchandise available.

Taipei Road, the main shopping thoroughfare, presents a desolate appearance. Usually crowded with pedestrians and vehicles, the street is now almost empty. The river front at Hsiao-kwan is crammed with goods, and refugees trying to go up river as quickly as possible. Armed guards are trying to keep them back from the ships as otherwise loading will be impossible.

The s.s. Wuling arrived in Nanking to-day and reported that she passed 28 British and other steamers en route to Hankow. No air raid alarm was sounded to-day.

EX-PREMIER'S FUNERAL

London, Nov. 27: The remains of the late Mr. Ramsay MacDonald were interred in a cemetery three miles from Lossiemouth after a simple service attended by relatives and the local boyhood friends of the ex-Premier. The hundreds of wreaths included tributes from Mr. Neville Chamberlain and members of the Cabinet, Lossiemouth fishermen, the Japanese Foreign Minister and the Government and people of South Africa.

COL. LINDBERGH To Live In England Permanently

Col. Lindbergh, who, with his wife, arrived in England from America on the last day of 1935, has decided to make his permanent home in England. He will go to America only for short visits.

Col. Lindbergh has lived at Sevenoaks, Kent, since he came to England, and it is probable that he will buy a house in that district. Recently, he made a tour of a number of South Coast towns, inspecting properties at Worthing, Bognor Regis and Felpham and in the district round Chichester, but did not find a suitable house.

KOWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY TIME-TABLE

On and after November 28, 1937, until Further Notice.
UP TRAINS

STATIONS	Local A.M.		Up Slow A.M.	Up Fast P.M.	Up Fast P.M.	Up Fast P.M.	Up Fast P.M.	Up Fast P.M.	Up Fast P.M.	Up Fast P.M.	Up Fast P.M.	Local P.M.	Local P.M.	
	Local A.M.	Local P.M.												
Kowloon Dep.	6.30	8.25	8.40	9.20	9.54	12.12	12.45	1.08	1.25	1.50	4.18	5.00	5.23	7.55
Tsimshai Dep.	6.38	8.33	8.51	9.31	10.01	12.20	12.53	1.16	1.33	1.59	4.27	5.07	5.31	8.02
Shatin Dep.	6.50	8.45	9.03	9.43	10.13	12.32	13.05	1.28	1.44	2.11	4.30	5.09	5.43	8.14
Taipei Dep.	7.03	8.58	9.16	9.56	10.26	12.45	13.18	1.41	1.57	2.24	4.39	5.18	5.56	8.27
Taipei Market Dep.	7.08	9.03	9.21	10.01	10.31	12.50	13.23	1.46	2.02	2.29	4.48	5.27	6.01	8.32
Faiyung Dep.	7.19	9.14	9.32	10.12	10.42	13.01	13.34	1.57	2.13	2.40	4.57	5.36	6.12	8.43
Shumchun Dep.	7.34	9.29	9.47	10.27	10.57	13.16	13.49	2.02	2.18	2.45	5.06	5.45	6.17	8.48
Shumchun Arr.	7.30	9.00	9.18	9.58	10.28	12.47	13.20	1.40	2.06	2.33	5.15	5.54	6.23	8.59
Canton Arr.	11.20	6.00	...	...	...	4.05	...	...	7.55	...	...	...	...	...

DOWN TRAINS

STATIONS	Local A.M.	Local A.M.	Local A.M.	Through		Local P.M.	Local P.M.	Down Fast Train A.M.	Down Fast Train A.M.	Local P.M.	Flying Express P.M.		
				Flying Express A.M.	Mixed A.M.								
Canton	Dep.	...	...	8.15	8.40	...	...	1.10	8.45	...	4.50		
Shumchun	Dep.	7.06	7.58	9.59	10.30	11.30	12.10	2.28	3.58	4.23	5.30	6.40	7.10
Shumchun	Arr.	7.13	8.05	10.06			12.20	2.50			4.31	5.40	6.47
Faiyung	Dep.	7.18	8.10	10.10			11.39	12.31	2.54		4.38	5.46	6.51
Taipei Market	Dep.	7.29	8.21	10.20			1.50	12.41	2.58		4.19	5.01	7.01
Taipei	Dep.	7.35	8.27	10.26			12.47	3.04			4.55	5.08	7.08
Shatin	Dep.	7.49	8.40	10.39			12.06	1.01	3.18		4.15	5.19	7.19
Yau-mat	Dep.	8.02	8.52	10.51			12.21	1.14	3.31		4.21	5.21	7.21
Kowloon	Arr.	8.08	8.58	10.57	11.10	12.27	1.20	3.37	4.50	5.57	6.57	7.57	7.45

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Chinese peasantry swarming into the Settlement before the advance of Japanese troops to Soochow Creek.

KING'S CHASER SOLD FOR 330 GUINEAS

Marconi, who won races for three monarchs, King George V., the Duke of Windsor (when King Edward VIII.), and King George VI., was sold at Newmarket recently for 330gns. Major Barrett, who trained him for all his races under National Hunt Rules, was the buyer.

Horses in training comprised the catalogue. Business generally was poor, the 33 lots sold fetching only 5,000gns.

Best prices were 510gns each for Kingsbury and Cymbidium, sold respectively to the British Bloodstock Agency and Mr. A. McIntyre, and 500gns for Winastep, to Mr. S. Mercer.

GOVERNMENT REPLY APPROVED

Barcelona, Nov. 27: Text of the answer of the Republican Government to the note of the London non-intervention

LORD BADEN-POWELL TO TOUR WORLD

Programme Till 1939
Lord Baden-Powell, the Chief Scout, who is 80, is planning a round-the-world journey for the winter of 1938-1939.

With Lady Baden-Powell he intends to be present at a Jamboree in New South Wales in January, 1939, and from Australia he will go to the West Indies for the Jamaica Jamboree in February.

A full programme of Scout activities has been arranged for next summer, when Lord Baden-Powell intends to visit Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland and the Irish Free State.

Before then he and Lady Baden-Powell will spend some months in Africa. They will leave England next month for Kenya and afterwards visit their son in Northern Rhodesia and their daughter in Southern Rhodesia.

After a stay in South Africa they will return home next May.

committee regarding the number of foreign combatants to be withdrawn from Spain, was approved by the Government yesterday.

Anglo-French Discussions On Far East

Common Line Of Action Is Anticipated

Halifax-Hitler Talks Reviewed

IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT ONE OF THE PRINCIPAL PROBLEMS WHICH WILL COME UNDER REVIEW WHEN THE ANGLO-FRENCH STATESMEN MEET ON MONDAY, WILL BE THE SHANGHAI CRISIS. THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT HAVE INSTRUCTED THEIR AMBASSADOR IN TOKYO TO LEAVE THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT NO DOUBT WHATSOEVER THAT THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT CLAIM TO BE CONSULTED IN ANY ARRANGEMENT MADE RESPECTING THE CHINESE CUSTOMS.

IT IS HOPED HERE THAT THE LONDON CONVERSATIONS WILL LEAD TO THE ADOPTION OF A COMMON LINE OF ACTION BY BRITAIN AND FRANCE IN CONNECTION WITH THE FAR EAST.

OTHER MATTERS FOR DISCUSSION INCLUDE THE HITLER-HALIFAX TALKS. FRENCH CIRCLES IN LONDON DECLARE THAT NO IMMEDIATE CHANGE IN THE FRENCH POLICY IS LIKELY AS FRANCE IS NOT WILLING TO CONCEDE TO ANY GERMAN CLAIMS UNLESS GERMANY OFFERS HOPE FOR A GENERAL EUROPEAN SETTLEMENT.—REUTERS.

LONDON, NOVEMBER 27.

H. K. RIFLE ASSOCIATION

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On all sides one heard the wish expressed that more frequent facilities should be provided for Sunday shooting, but as during this season alone, there are six more occasions on which shooting will take place on that day, members must be content for the time being with what has been done for them in this respect.

Special additional prizes were provided yesterday, and the list of prize-winners in the various events are as follows:—

SPOON AND PRACTICE SHOOT S.R. (b)

1. Inspector A. L. Hopkins (H.K. Police) miniature silver tankard; 2. Mr. J. Haigh (D.R.C.) fountain pen; 3. Capt. I. B. Trevor (Hong Kong V.D.C.) lighter; 4. Sgt. F. E. Russell (H.K. Police) cigarette case; 5. L/Cpl. R. F. Graham (1/Seaforth) cigarette case; 6. Lt. E. D. Wilson (1/R.U.R.) silver spoon; 7. L/Cpl. A. W. Downing (R.E.) silver spoon; 8. P.O. D. J. Silcock (R.N.) silver spoon; 9. Mr. W. G. Sanderson (D.R.C.) 100 Lt. R. S. Hawkins (R.E.) 100 cigarettes; 11. Mr. R. M. Keown (T.R.C.) 100 cigarettes.

S.R. (a)

1. L/Cpl. J. Ringe (1/Middlesex) silver match tray; 2. Sgt. V. W. Cooper (1/Middlesex); fountain pen; 3. Cpl. G. Clark (1/Middlesex) one set ash tray; 4. Mr. S. C. Sainsbury (D.R.C.) cigarette case; 5. L/Cpl. W. Ure (1/Middlesex) cigarette case; 6. L/Cpl. T. F. Baker (1/Middlesex) silver spoon; 7. Pte. A. Middleton (1/Middlesex) silver spoon; 8. Pte. G. E. Rawling (1/Middlesex) silver spoon; 9. Pdsn. J. J. Goulding (1/Middlesex) silver spoon; 10. Pte. A. H. Cox (1/Middlesex) silver spoon; 11. Pte. C. W. Tully (1/Middlesex) 100 cigarettes; 12. Pte. T. Smith (1/Middlesex) 100 cigarettes.

Revolver Shoot

Sgt. Perkins (H.K. Police) revolver spoon; 2. Cpl. Charan Singh (H.K. Police) revolver spoon; 3. F/Sgt. Ang Ching Chiu (Hong Kong P.R.C.) revolver spoon; 4. Cpl. Purn Singh (H.K. Police) revolver spoon.

Clay-bird Shoot

Silver Cups—Single and Double; Lt.-Comdr. Studholme (R.N.). Silver Spoons—Capt. Trevor (H.K.V.D.C. (two); Lieut. Jenks, R.N. (two); Capt. Newton (1/Middlesex) (one); Lt.-Comdr. Jonas, R.N. (one).

The Inter-Affiliated Unit and Club Team Match, open to six members from each, three of whom may use the S.R. (b) rifle if desired, was won by the 1st Bn. The Royal Ulster Rifles, after a close and continuous struggle with the members representing the Fourth Submarine Flotilla Rifle Club.

The prizes were distributed by Major R. D. Walker, M.C., President of the Association, who remarked that yesterday's shooting was an enjoyable event and that he hoped that members would support further meetings of this kind in the future. He announced that the next week-end shoot would be in January.

LOCAL YACHTING

Race For Comet Class

WIN FOR MR. AND MRS. HOLDEN

The Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club's race for the Comet class was sailed yesterday and resulted in a fairly easy win for Mr. and Mrs. A. Holden.

The race was from the Club's Middle Island headquarters to the Yacht Club.

At the start at 10.40 a.m. the wind was very light but through East Lamma Channel it improved to a fresh breeze enabling the boats to run down the harbour in good style.

The result was as follows:—

"C" Class—Started at 10.40

Finished	Corr. Pos.	Time	Yacht	Captain	
1	1	15.03.00	15.08.00	1	Mr. A. Holden
2	2	15.11.51	15.11.51	2	Mr. L. P. Ralph
3	3	15.12.06	15.12.06	3	Mr. A. St. G. Walton
4	4	15.23.17	15.23.17	4	Mr. Heath
5	5	15.23.28	15.23.28	5	Mr. Sprackley
6	6	15.25.02	15.25.02	6	Mr. P. C. M. Sedgwick
7	7	15.25.02	15.25.02	7	Mr. K. Barnett

HOME FOOTBALL RESULTS

London, Nov. 27.
The following are the results of Home football matches played today.

FIRST DIVISION

Arsenal	4	Leeds	1
Blackpool	0	Liverpool	1
Bolton	1	Birmingham	1
Brentford	0	West. Brom.	2
Derby	1	Preston	2
Everton	3	Stoke	0
Huddersfield	3	Middlesbrough	0
Leicester	1	Chelsea	0
Manchester C.	3	Grimsby	1
Sunderland	1	Charlton	1
Wolves	5	Portsmouth	0

SECOND DIVISION

Aston Villa	1	Sheffield U.	0
Blackburn	1	Coventry	3
Bradford	3	Tottenham	1
Chesterfield	0	Barnsley	0
Fulham	1	Newcastle	2
Norwich	2	Manchester U.	3
Plymouth	2	Luton	4
Wednesday	0	Notts. F.	2
Southampton	4	Bury	1
Swansea	0	Stockport	2
West Ham	1	Burnley	0

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

FIRST DIVISION

Aberdeen	1	Queen's P.	1
Arbroath	1	Clyde	2
Ayr	3	Motherwell	3
Celtic	2	Falkirk	0
Hamilton	4	Kilmarnock	2
Hibernian	2	Dundee	1
Queen O'S	1	Morton	0
Rangers	0	Hearts	3
St. Mirren	1	Partick	0
Third Lanark	0	St. Johnstone	5

SECOND DIVISION

Albion	1	Raith	5
Alloa	3	King's Park	2
Brechin	2	Edinburgh	7
Dundee	2	Forfar	0
Dunfermline	3	Montrose	0
East Fife	3	Leith	1
East Stirling	0	Airdrie	3
St. Bernard's	1	Dumbarton	0
Stenhousemuir	1	Cowdenbeath	1

F. A. CUP (FIRST ROUND)

Darlington	0	Scarborough	2
Wrexham	2	Oldham	1
Burton Town	1	Rotherham	1
New Brighton	5	Workington	0
Walsall	4	Gateshead	0
Tranmere	2	Carlisle	1
Walker Celtic	1	Bradford C.	1
Port Vale	1	Gainsborough	1
Accrington	1	Lancaster Town	1
Wigan	1	S. Liverpool	4
Hull	4	Scunthorpe	0
Kidderminster	2	Newport	2
Guildford	1	Reading	0
Corinthians	0	Southend	2
Exeter	1	Folkestone	0
Gillingham	3	Swindon	4
Yeovil and Potters	2	Ipswich	1
Bristol R.	1	Queen's P.R.	8
King's Lynn	0	Bromley	4
Northampton	1	Cardiff	2
Hartlepool	3	Southport	1
Rochdale	1	Lincoln	1
Douglas	7	Blyth Spartans	0
Barrow	0	Crews	1
Wellington	1	Mansfield	2
York	1	Halifax	1
Brighton	5	Tunbridge Wells	1
Bristol C.	3	Enfield	0
Crystal P.	2	Kettering	0
Bournemouth	0	Dartford	0
Torquay	1	Clapton	2
Watford	3	Cheltenham Town	0
Westbury	1	Walhamston Avenue	3
Dulwich Hamlet	1	Aldershot	2

The draw for the second round of the F.A. Cup is being made on Nov. 30.

FRIENDLY HOCKEY MATCHES

Two heavy defeats were suffered by ladies hockey teams in the friendly matches played on Saturday. Seaforth Highlanders Ladies were heavily beaten by a combined senior and junior Hong Kong Ladies' eleven, who won by six clear goals and St. Andrew's lost to the tune of seven-love to the "Y" Ladies.

Central British Association Ladies' junior team, though they included a few members of their senior eleven in their game against St. Andrew's second string, lost by five goals to one.

Men's Matches.

A scrappy game on the Murray Parade Ground saw the Seaforths boys beat an Indian team from the different schools by the odd goal in three.

Central British School "A" beat the Former Pupils Association first string by two goals to nil in a very fast game on the school ground.

Leading by four-two at half-time, Radio Sports Club ran the Y.M.C.A. side off their feet in the second period and piled on three more goals, to win 7-2.

LOCAL FOOTBALL RESULTS

FIRST DIVISION

MIDDLESEX	1	SEAFORTHS	0
Britton	1	Willerton	1
KOWLOON	2	Police	1
Jorge, Knox D.	1	Willerton	1

SECOND DIVISION

SEAFORTHS	2	CHINESE POLICE	1
Jamieson, Samson	1	Kong Hing	0
KOWLOON	6	CHINESE ENGINEERS	0
Wilson 2, Betts 2, Vale	1		
Chong-fai (own goal)	1		
MIDDLESEX	2	KWONG WAH	2
Izzard, Marable	1	Wong King-chung 2	1

THIRD DIVISION (HONG KONG)

POWHTATTAN	1	ENGINEERS	1
Wo Ah-chol	1	Croby	0
SERVICE CORPS	1	MEDICAL CORPS	0
Postponed to Tuesday	1		

THIRD DIVISION (KOWLOON)

R. C. OF SIGNALS	2	24TH B.T.Y. R.A.	3
Bromley, Parker	1	Barlow, Jones 2	0
SEAFORTHS	4	26TH B.T.Y. R.A.	0
Lindsay 3, Ferguson	1		
KUMAON RIFLES	4	UNIVERSITY	0
Tomlinson 2, Narain Singh	1		
Partap Singh	1		

FOOTBALL LEAGUE

S. China Win Twice In First Division

Both South China A. A. teams were victorious in the First Division of the Football League yesterday. The "A" were at home to Kowloon Chinese and won a rather uninteresting match by 4 goals to 2. Lai Shui-wing scored two of the goals for the winners, and Fung King-cheung and Tsang Moon-wing each had one.

The "B" team met Eastern on the Causeway Bay ground and won 2 nil.

In the second division, however, South China's eleven met with a reverse, losing by the odd goal game in three to the Royal Engineers. This game preceded the first eleven encounter at Caroline Hill.

BRILLIANT BOWLING

Pte. Hatfield Takes Eight For 15 Against Police

A team from the Middlesex Regiment beat the Police by three wickets at Happy Valley yesterday. Feature of the game, which was a low-scoring one, was the magnificent bowling of Private Hatfield, who returned figures of eight wickets for a total of 15 runs in eight overs, half of which were maidens. The Police were all out for 64 runs, only T. R. Hunter (20) and J. Shepherd (18) being able to stand up to the bowling at all.

This is the second time in three weeks that Hatfield has skittled the Police. Playing for Army "A" in the league match against the Valley team on November 8, he dismissed them for 44, taking on that occasion seven wickets for 18 runs. Thus, on the two occasions he has met them, Hatfield has taken 15 wickets for 33 runs!

The soldiers did not find running easy when their turn came, but a courageous innings by Private Jones got them home for seven wickets. C. Pope bowled unchanged, and his 5 for 35 represented some very steady work. Scores:—

POLICE		Bowling Analysis	
A. E. Carey, b. Chiverall	6	O. M. R. W.	
N. Booker, b. Hatfield	0	Chiverall	8 2 17 1
W. Clarke, c. Beadnell, b. Chiverall	0	Hatfield	8 4 15 8
C. Pope, l.b.w. Hatfield	2	Painter	2 0 18 0
T. R. Hunter, c. Northcott, b. Hatfield	20	Coomes	1 0 1 0
A. Hopcroft, c. Cooper, b. Hatfield	0		
B. G. Baker, c. and b. Hatfield	0		
F. Shepherd, not out	18		
F. E. Booker, b. Hatfield	5		
A. Wheeler, b. Hatfield	5		
J. E. Edwards, c. Cooper, b. Hatfield	0		
Extras	12		
Total	64		

MIDDLESEX REGT.		Bowling Analysis	
C.S.M. Northcott, b. Baker	0	O. M. R. W.	
Pte. Jones, b. Edwards	30	Pope	14 5 35 5
Lt. Mann, l.b.w. Pope	6	Baker	9 2 21 2
Sgt. Painter, b. Baker	4	Carey	3 1 12 0
Sgt. Cooper, run out	5	Edwards	1 0 4 1
Lt. Weeden, b. Pope	4		
A. Beadnell, l.b.w. Pope	11		
Total	81		

Letters To The Editor

TENNIS SUGGESTION

Sir,—It is not often that we in Hong Kong have an opportunity of seeing first-class tennis players in action, and last Friday's exhibition by the German champions was a real treat for local followers of the game.

I hope I do not sound too critical, but there is a suggestion I should like to offer to the Tennis Association.

On Friday the German Davis Cup players were paired against the local doubles champions in two sets, and the same four men then engaged in a third set following an exchange of partners. Finally, we saw Von Cramm and Henkel in a singles—just one set, which provided the thrilling tennis for which we had all been waiting.

It was interesting to watch the local boys against two of the world's top-ranking players, but would not one set, or at the most two sets, have sufficed? It is so seldom that we have the pleasure of a visit from players of the class of Von Cramm and Henkel, that I feel sure most of the spectators would have preferred to see more of the German champions in action against each other.

In future exhibitions of the nature of Friday's, it would be very much appreciated if a best-of-three-sets match could be arranged between the visiting experts.—Yours etc.,

TENNIS ENTHUSIAST.

TENNIS PLAYERS FETED

German Club Function

The visiting tennis players, Baron Gottfried Von Cramm, Herr Henner Henkel and Fraulein Marie Luise Horn, who took part and delighted all Hong Kong in exhibition games last Friday afternoon, were entertained to dinner in the evening by Herr H. Gipperich, German Consul-General, and members of the German community at the German Club. Several members of the Hong Kong Lawn Tennis Association were also present.

Music was provided by the Band of the 1st Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders, by kind permission of Lt.-Col. J. Muirhead, M.C. and officers. After dinner, Professor Maklesoff obliged with several piano solos, whilst Miss Eva Turner and Frau Elsa Schreiber rendered many charming songs, and Mrs. Whittig, accompanied by Mrs. Millard, gave two dances.

The function was a great success, and the tennis stars expressed their appreciation for the warm reception given to them.

Lt. Chiverall, b. Pope	0
Pte. Coomes, b. Pope	10
Pte. Hatfield, not out	1
Lt. Peel, run out	1
Extras	9
Total	81

Bowling Analysis		Bowling Analysis	
O. M. R. W.		O. M. R. W.	
Pope	14 5 35 5	Pope	14 5 35 5
Baker	9 2 21 2	Baker	9 2 21 2
Carey	3 1 12 0	Carey	3 1 12 0
Edwards	1 0 4 1	Edwards	1 0 4 1

The game between the Army 1st string and the Hong Kong Cricket Club, which was to have been played at Sookunpoo, was called off.

SCOTTISH CO. PARADE SERVICE

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to the roots of the plant, and thence to the stem, was actually causing a sufficient lowering of temperature, to make the boll a suitable and appropriate environment for the parasite to be born and live. A slight change in the raising of the temperature was all that was required to save the cotton fields of Egypt.

Explain it as you will, or disbelieve it if you please, there is something about the spiritual atmosphere of Christ's presence which raises the moral temperature, and makes sin and other hindrances to the good life possible, only at the complete abandonment of Christ's fellowship.

WHOSE RESPONSIBILITY?

The true knowledge of God's nature; His eternal control of the Universe; the true understanding of His love for each one of us, and the imparting of spiritual power that overcomes all human weakness; these are the things by which Jesus fulfils his promise. I came that they may have life, and have it overflowing. But having once come, whose afterward is the responsibility? It is no longer Christ's; it is our own. Was Oscar Wilde describing any one of us in that grim little "parable" of his? The alternative sayings of the New Testament still lie before us today. On the one hand there is this: How shall we escape if we neglect so great salvation. Go thy way, sin no more, lest a worse evil befall thee! And on the other hand there is this: And the spirit and the bride say, come. And let everyone that heareth say come. And whosoever will, let him take of the water of life freely!

AT HOME

Large Gathering At Headquarters

The Scottish Company marched down to Volunteer Headquarters where an enjoyable "At Home" was held, many friends of the company attended.

Major Forsyth, in a short speech, thanked the Chieftain of St. Andrew's Society and Lady MacGregor for the success of the Ball on Friday night and the Rev. Mackenzie Dow for kindly permitting the use of the Church for the parade service.

Sir Atholl MacGregor, replying, paid warm tribute to the splendid work done by Messrs. E. M. Bryden and D. S. Robb and members of the General Committee in connection with the Ball and added that thanks were also due to the many who attended the function and who helped in no small measure towards its success.

H.K. POLICE SPORTS

The annual athletic sports meeting of the Hong Kong Police will be held at Caroline Hill (by kind permission of the South China A.A.) on Sunday, December 5, commencing at 2.30 p.m. By kind permission of Lieut.-Col. O. H. Hildbury, M.C. and Officers, the Band of the Middlesex Regiment will be in attendance. Prices of admission are \$1, 50 cents and 20 cents.

Sporting Fixtures

TO-DAY

Badminton.—"A" Division fixtures: Cathedral Hall Badminton, 8.30 p.m.
Yachting.—7th Ladies' First Series.

TO-MORROW

Hockey.—Seaforths v. Police (Police Training School), 4.45 p.m.
Rugby.—Seaforths v. Small Units (Sookunpoo), 3 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1
Badminton.—"B" Division fixtures.

Football

Junior Shield.—Engineers (C.) v. 20th Battery R.A. (Military Ground H.V., 2.45 p.m.) Referee: Day.
Hockey.—Seaforths v. Radio Sports Club (Sookunpoo), 4 p.m.
Shooting.—Hong Kong Rifle Association Weekly Spoon and Practice Shoot, Army Range, Kowloon City, 2 p.m.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4
Racing.—Hong Kong Jockey Club's Twelfth Extra Race Meeting, Happy Valley, 2 p.m.

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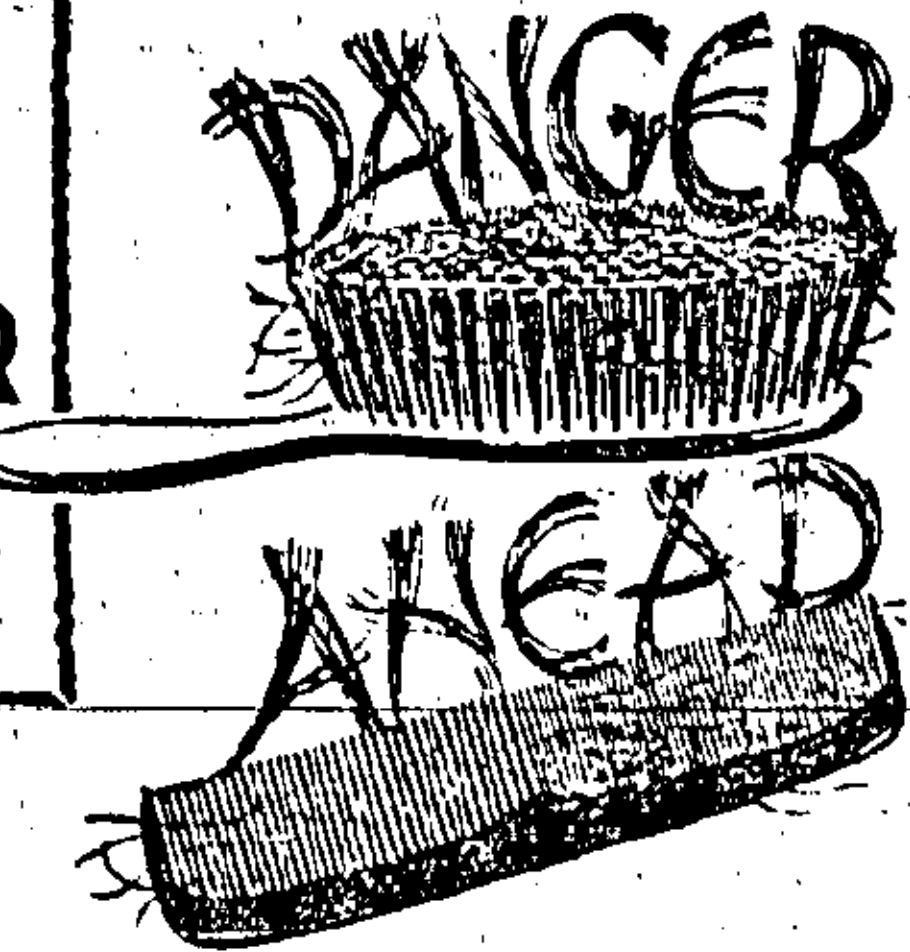
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BOWLING GREEN CLUB

SEASON'S END

The Kowloon Bowling Green Club held its annual closing day at Austin Road on Saturday, when the Vice-President's team beat the President's side by 192 shots to 167. L. Guy's rink recorded a six when they beat A. Hyde-Lay's four.

At the conclusion of the game Mrs. E. V. Sealre, wife of the Club's vice-president, distributed the prizes won during the past season, the prize-winners being—

BOWLS

Club Championship and J. M. Henderson Cup

Winner—D. W. Waterton, Runner-up J. McKelvie, Third T. Armstrong.

President's Prize and Harvey Memorial Shield

Winner—T. Armstrong, Runner-up E. W. Lines, Third L. Guy.

Vice-President's Prize

Winner—A. S. Russell, Runner-up D. W. Waterton, Third W. S. Drake.

Handicap Singles

Winner—W. S. Drake, Runner-up T. Armstrong, Third E. W. Lines.

Handicap Pairs

Winners—W. L. Walker and H. F. Stoneham, Runners-up A. L. Woolley and T. Armstrong.

Non-Prize Winners

Winner—J. C. Gill, Runner-up T. E. Robson.

TENNIS

Club Championship and Nest Anglo Cup

Winner—A. Duncan, Runner-up J. B. Sturgeon.

Men's Handicap Singles

Winner—A. Duncan, Runner-up S. M. Barling.

Men's Handicap Doubles

Winners—A. Duncan and A. L. Woolley, Runners-up D. W. Waterton and R. Millar.

Mixed Handicap Doubles

Winners—Mrs. J. W. Laeson and T. Armstrong, Runners-up Mrs. Drew and R. D. Barrett.

Ladies' Handicap Singles

Winner—Mrs. D. Anderson, Runner-up Mrs. Hedley.

Ladies' Handicap Doubles

Winners—Mrs. G. T. Anderson and Mrs. D. Anderson, Runners-up Mrs. R. D. Barrett and Mrs. F. F. Clarke.

SATURDAY'S CRICKET

Saturday's cricket consisted solely of friendly matches in the junior division, and resulted as follows:—

Police drew with Craigengower; C. C. C. 179 for 5 decl. (E. Zimmermann 49, G. A. Lee 39), Police 94 for 8.

University beat K.C.C. by two wickets at King's Park; K.C.C. 143 (R. T. Broadbridge 35; R. Singh 4 for 26); University 148 (J. Fong 40, V. Lingam 38; W. L. McKenzie 4 for 20).

Central British School lost to Hong Kong Cricket Club by one wicket on the Town ground; C. B. S. 124 (U. Gegg 33; D. S. Robb 3 for 17); H.K.C.C. 130 for 9 wickets. (L. D. Kilbee 38).

The Middlesex Regiment beat Royal Army Medical Corps by 8 wickets; R.A.M.C. 111 (Sergt. Castelli 23 not out; Pte. Hatfield 5 for 28); Middlesex 123 for 2 wickets. (C.Q.M.B. Northcote 58).

Queen's College lost to the Royal Navy by 10 wickets at King's Park; Q.C. 44 (M. Currie 17 (Tel. Woods 44); Navy 147 for 2 wickets. (L.S.A. Flynn 76).

Club de Recreio beat the Indians by 20 runs at Sookunpo; Recreio 128 (E. L. Soares 59; M. I. Razack 5 for 18); I.R.C. 108 (A. K. Minu 54, E. A. R. Alves 5 for 30).

Craigengower beat Civil Service by 48 runs; C.C.C. 128 (S. P. Karanjia 30); Civil Service 82 (C. W. Lam 7 for 21).

YACHTING RESULTS

Two races in the first Commodore's Cup Series were re-called on Saturday at the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club, in the "H" and "G" classes, resulting in a win for Colleen (Captain C. A. Luckin), in the former event, the second race being declared no race as none of the competitors finished within the time limit. The "A" Class sweepstake race resulted in a win for Artemis (Mr. C. C. Blake), while the "I" and "Y" Classes were also featured in a sweepstake race, being won by Widgeon (Mr. L. Garner). All the events were over a course of 8.1 miles.

TRAINING GALLOPS

Times Taken At Happy Valley

The following times were taken during the training gallops at the Race Course yesterday:—

	Dis- tance	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	4th Qr.	5th Qr.	Last Qr.
Radium	1	42	1.18.4	1.51.4			33
Derby Day	1	38.2	1.08.3	1.27			28.2
Jungle Jim	1	34	1.10	1.47.2	2.18.3		29.1
Rose Queen	1	36	1.11	1.47.2	2.18		28.3
Strathroy	1	39	1.12	1.42	2.09		27
King's Warden	1	39	1.17	1.47.3	2.18		30.2
Saucy Face	1	29	1.00.3	1.30.2			29.4
King's Lead & King's Coronation	1	37.2	1.08.4	1.37.4			28
Night View	1	34	1.06	1.37			31
Coronation Day	1	38.2	1.13.3	1.45.4			32.1
Lancashire Chips	1	40	1.13	1.43.3	2.12.3		29
Snowy River	1	35	1.05	1.34	2.00.4		28.4
Blandford	1	30.1	58.2	1.28.2			28
Dick Turpin	1	43	1.13	1.43	2.10		27
Rosalind	1	32.3	1.04	1.35.2			31.2
Home Brew	1	39	1.10.2	1.40.3	2.09		28.2
Ranger	1	41	1.18	1.52.3	2.20.3		28
Scenic View & Harvest View	1	39.1	1.15.4	1.48.2	2.19		30.3
Gordito & Good Morning	1	37.2	1.14.3	1.49	2.21		32
Dawn Star & Tiny Star	1	36	1.10.4	1.43.3	2.18.1	2.49	32.4
Racing Heart	1	40	1.14.2	1.46	2.18		30
Bag Tor	1	36	1.10	1.39.2			29.2
Laughing Girl	1	31.4	1.05.1	1.37.4	2.09.2		31.3
Rob Roy	1	34	1.09.3	1.42.2	2.14.4		32.2
Sylvandale	1	34	1.06.2	1.37.4			31.2
Pirety	1	34.1	1.07.4	1.40.1			32.2
King's Parade	1	38.2	1.14.3	1.48.3			32
Happy Venture	1	33.2	1.08.2	1.41.2			33
Yum Sing	1	38.3	1.12.4	1.43.2			30.3
Bravado	1	32.2	1.04	1.35	2.05.2		30.2
Plain View & Tabby Cat	1	36.3	1.11.1	1.47.3	2.17.2		29.4
Soldier of China	1	38.4	1.16.4	1.52	2.22.3		30.3
Araxy & Diogenes	1	41.3	1.18.2	1.47.4			31.2
Gold Coin	1	38	1.15	1.51	2.24		33
Laughing Cavalier	1	45.1	1.29.2	2.09	2.44		35
Stopwatch & Tempest	1	41	1.20	1.53	2.24.3		31.3
Whalsey	1	35.2	1.09.3	1.39.4			30.1
Atomic Star	1	41	1.20.1	1.53.3	2.25.2		31.4

SHANGHAI RACING

Results Of Autumn Meeting

Shanghai, Nov. 27.

The following are the results of the first day's races of the Shanghai Race Club's Autumn Meeting:

Malden Plate, Three quarters of a mile.

E. M. H's Going Haywire (Keep) 1

Sing Foong's Dow Jones (Encarnacao) 2

Cree's Fancy Light (Noodt) 3

Time: 1.32.2/5.

Mukder Subscription Griffins Plate, One Mile.

M. H. Hind's Experience (Pote-Hunt) 1

The Farmers' Sapristi (Clark) 2

G. J. Mary's Ununum (Keep) 3

Time: 2.08.3/5.

Fahwah Stakes, One mile.

C. E. and S. A's Marry Jester (Encarnacao) 1

Winsome and Hasty's Equity (Noodt) 2

Ment's The Mars (Tu) 3

Time: 3.15.

Griffins Sweepstake, Nine furlongs.

D. J's Water Loobey (Jack) 1

Morn's Vintage Morn (Marshall) 2

Eusted's Busted Straight (Pote-Hunt) 3

Time: 2.24.2/5.

Urza Stakes, Seven furlongs.

R. D. Parkin's Hwangchow (Pote-Hunt) 1

China's New General (Kew) 2

Elnor's Royal Bee II (Noodt) 3

Time: 1.50.1/5.

Criterion Stakes, Classic, One mile.

Morn's Radiant Morn (Marshall) 1

Manx's High Power (Wade) 2

Manx's Mount Anhua (Encarnacao) 3

Time: 2.03.4/5.

Kalgan Stakes, Mile and a quarter.

K. Henley's China Star (Pote-Hunt) 1

Manx's Corps Cavalry (Encarnacao) 2

Jewell's Sammy (Keep) 3

Time: 3.42.2/5.

Betting: 25 to 1 Solitaire; 18 to 1 Velvet Cushion; 5 to 1 Marcus Superbus.

Reuter

London, Nov. 27.

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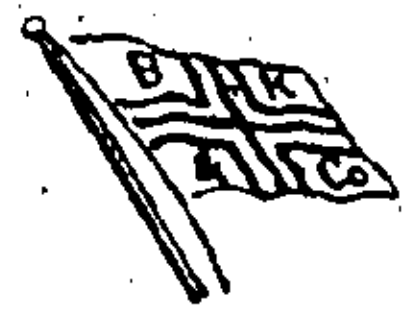
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PHILIPPINE MINING NEWS

Developments, Inc. announces the signing of a six-months contract with Layog Gold Mines, Inc. to inspect and explore the properties on the Islands of Cebu and Leyte. George Dillingham has been on the properties for the past few weeks and returned to Manila leaving Frank Berkenkotter in charge.

Northern Agusan Mining Development Company, Inc., reports that exploration work has established the presence of commercial gold quantities on its Cabadbaran, Agusan, placer property, and of iron ore in Montalban, Rizal.

In a letter sent to the stockholders of the company, Assemblyman Guillermo Z. Villanueva, president,

stated that a contract has already been closed with a Japanese firm to buy iron ore in Montalban, Rizal. In view of the contract, the company expects to extend the Manila Railroad line from the town of Montalban into the mine site, a distance of about a kilometer and a half. The plan is to reduce the transportation cost of the iron ore to Manila.

The president stated in his letter that machinery for the Cabadbaran placer property has already been shipped to separate the gold from the sand, thereby reducing the cost of production to the minimum. Application for listing by the securities and exchange commission has been approved, the president reported.

P.O. SORTER'S DEALS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

The Stock Exchange dealings of a Post Office sorter earning \$4 182 9d a week were described at the Old Bailey recently, when Edwin Starmer Shaw, 56, was sentenced to 12 months' imprisonment for forging withdrawal forms and obtaining money.

It was stated that he intercepted bank books and obtained £280. Detective-Sergeant Atcott said that Shaw, a sorter for 37 years, had an excellent character until these offences. The war seemed to destroy his caution in financial affairs. He speculated and lost and when he committed these offences he was perturbed about repaying money he had borrowed from a colleague and elderly woman he had known for many years. The money represented their life savings.

Shaw said that in 1926 he was worth between £2,000 and £3,000. Then he became restless and decided to invest on the Stock Exchange.

"I did very well for the first few years," he added, "and then I got hold of a lot of wild cat stuff."

IMPORTANT PARLEYS PENDING

French Leaders To Visit Premier And Foreign Secretary

London, Nov. 28. M. Camille Chautemps and M. Yvon Delbos will arrive in London at 9.30 p.m. on Sunday, and conversations between them, the Prime Minister and Mr. Anthony Eden, will open at 10 Downing Street on Monday.

It is understood that Lord Halifax will participate in some of the talks. Mr. Neville Chamberlain will have lunch with the visitors at No. 11 Downing Street on Monday, and Mr. Eden will entertain them to dinner in the evening. There will be a lunch party at the French Embassy on Tuesday to enable the visitors to meet other members of the Cabinet, after which M. Chautemps and M. Delbos will leave for Paris.—*Reuter.*

Japanese Intend To Occupy Settlement

Shanghai, Nov. 27. The Japanese army authorities continue to press for recognition of the right to enter the International Settlement to the south of Soochow Creek, ostensibly in order to have a short cut for their troops and supplies destined for Nantao.

There is increased apprehension over the Japanese intentions in view of the widely circulated, though at present unconfirmed, rumours, that the Japanese army intends to occupy the whole of the Settlement as from December 1.—*Reuter.*

WAR REFUGEES LEAVE FOR CHINGHAI

Sian, Nov. 27. A batch of 250 refugees from the war areas in Hopei province left here yesterday by foot on a long trek to China's little-known hinterland province of Chinghai where they will be engaged in pioneering work.

They were each given a sum of money and winter clothing by the Shensi Provincial Government and also a police escort. If the party meets no obstacles en route they will reach Sining, the Chinghai provincial capital, about Christmas and from there they will go to Tulan and Kunguo where they will be given land to farm.—*Central News.*

EARLY REVISION OF TAXES

President Roosevelt's Desire Made Clear

Washington, Nov. 28. President F. D. Roosevelt stated at today's press conference that he wanted a tax revision as soon as Congress was ready to go ahead with it. At the same time he revealed that he had sent a letter to all government departments and agencies asking them to anticipate requirements of supplies for the rest of the fiscal year.

The President added that this should help to stimulate industry, although he explained that it would not be possible to do all the government buying during the next month or two.

President Roosevelt, emphasised that he did not want to fly in the face of critical editorial articles warning against undigested legislation and congressional rubber-stamping.—*Reuter.*

JAPAN FORMS NEW REGIME

Tokyo, Nov. 27. Japan's preparations for the springing of another puppet government upon the world, with the idea ultimately of recognising it as the "Central Government of China," was naively announced by Prince Konoye, the Japanese Premier yesterday.

To press representatives, Prince Konoye stated: "I have received a report that the new regime is being formed in January. We have received a request to send advisers on political and economic problems, and the Government is now choosing the proper personnel."

"At present we have decided not to declare war, though if a change occurs in the situation, necessity for such a declaration may arise."

"As the Nine-Power Pact is a pretext for the powers to interfere in Far Eastern affairs, Japan will propose either revision or denunciation at the proper opportunity."

"As was made clear several years ago, Japan does not admit European or American intervention in the Far East, and we should have resorted to this step long before."—*Reuter.*

NEW DEFENCE SCHEME FOR SHANSI FORMULATED

Linfen, Nov. 27. As a result of repeated conferences of high military commanders in Shansi summoned by General Yen Hsi-shan, a new defence scheme for south Shansi has been formulated, it is learned from military circles.

In accordance with this new scheme the Chinese troops in Shansi are being re-dispositioned.—*Central News.*

2 TOWNS IN SHANTUNG RECAPTURED

Talan, Nov. 27. Liaooheng and Tangyi in west Shantung about 80 and 100 kilometres from Tsinan, were recovered by Chinese forces on November 25 and 28 respectively, according to a military report received here.

After a lull of many days, hostilities resumed south-west of Liaooheng in the afternoon of November 25. Toward evening the Japanese were routed by the Chinese forces which, pressing forward, recaptured Liaooheng.

Pushing further northwestward, the victorious Chinese forces recaptured Tangyi on November 28.—*Central News.*

RAILWAY AGAIN BOMBED

Canton, Nov. 27. Thirty-eight Japanese planes systematically bombed the Kowloon-Canton-Hankow Railway this morning, demolishing considerable lengths of track and thereby holding up traffic.

It is understood that 24 bombs were dropped at Cheungmuktau, one of which hit the railway workers' quarters.

Although the quarters was completely demolished, no casualties were reported.

A number of the raiders then flew on to Tongtauha, destroying the bridge at Kilometre 113 from Canton.

Other planes attacked the line between Tintongwal and Pingwu, doing considerable damage to the tracks.

On the Canton-Hankow line, fourteen planes are reported to have damaged the tracks at various points.—*Reuter.*

JAPAN AND HER MANDATED ISLANDS

Tokyo, Nov. 27. The Ministry of Overseas Affairs today issued a statement that it is the fixed policy of the Japanese Government to retain the mandated islands in the South Pacific irrespective of changes in the international situation, as has repeatedly been declared since Japan's withdrawal from the League of Nations.

The statement declares that there is no foundation in fact in various rumours and speculation as regards future status of the mandated islands.—*Reuter.*

"MANCHUKUO" IRREGULARS IN SHANGHAI DEFECT

Nanking, Nov. 27. Part of the "Manchukuo" irregulars who have been sent by the Japanese to Shanghai to guard the rear defences and killed several Japanese officers and soldiers on November 23, according to information from usually reliable sources.

The Japanese military command, these sources state, is keeping the strictest silence on this incident for fear that other disgruntled "Manchukuo" units may follow their example.—*Central News.*

FAVOURABLE TURN IN INTERNATIONAL SITUATION PREDICTED

Nanchang, Nov. 27. If China continued to resist Japan, there would soon be a favourable turn in the international situation. This prediction was made by Dr. Wang Shih-chieh, Minister of Education, in an interview with the Central News Agency upon his arrival here from Nanking on his way to Changsha.

Dr. Wang felt confident that China would win the final victory.—*Central News.*

TO GREET NEW YEAR

Nanchang, Nov. 27. An appeal to the Kiangsi populace has been made by the Provincial Kuomintang Headquarters to cancel the exchange of greeting cards on New Year and save the money for subscribing to the National Salvation Bonds.—*Central News.*

PUBLIC FUNCTIONARIES TO HAVE NO HOLIDAY

Hankow, Nov. 27. During the emergency period all public functionaries are to work on Sundays and other holidays as usual, according to a circular order handed down by the Generalissimo's Provisional Headquarters at Wuhan.—*Central News.*

JAPANESE TROOPS BURN DWELLING HOUSES

Tsinan, Nov. 27. The Japanese troops at Lokow and Tsinan on the north bank of the Yellow River burnt down many houses in villages in the vicinity on November 25.—*Central News.*

JAPANESE RUSHING SUPPLIES TO SHANGHAI

Nanking, Nov. 27. With the hostilities being extended inland, the Japanese are rushing large quantities of supplies to Shanghai to be distributed to the forces operating on the south bank of Taihu Lake and along the Yangtze River, according to reports received here.

Yesterday six transports arrived in Shanghai with another fleet of motor launches and huge quantities of munitions and supplies, it is estimated that there are at least 600 Japanese motor launches operating on the Whangpoo, and Yangtze rivers and Soochow Creek sending supplies inland to the Japanese forces.

The transports also brought 1,000 new troops who will be sent inland shortly.—*Central News.*

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Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors.

No Fire insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

MESSAGERIES MARITIMES CO. Hong Kong, 26th Nov., 1937.

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Optional cargo will not be landed here, unless notice has been given 48 hours prior to vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after 3rd Nov., 1937, will be subject to Rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 29th Nov., 1937, at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors Capt. Walter C. Weston.

To comply with the General Banded Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All claims must reach us before the 23rd Dec., 1937, or they will not be recognized.

No Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JEBSEN & CO., Agents.

Hong Kong, 23rd Nov., 1937. [5784]

RESUMPTION OF TRAFFIC ON TUNGPU LINE PLANNED

Linfen, Nov. 27. With the recapture of Taihu, Chihshien, Pingyao and Chiehshien preparations are being pushed for the resumption of traffic on the Tungpu Railway between Chiehshien and Ling-shih north of Linfen.—*Central News.*

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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Goods not cleared within 8 days including date of arrival will be subject to rent.

No Fire insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees, and the Company's surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas, at 10 a.m. on Mondays and Thursdays, within the Free Storage period.

Consignees are specially notified that it is necessary for a Revenue Officer to be present at the examination of damaged dutiable cargo.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underigned on or before 16th Dec., 1937, or they will not be recognized.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown. MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co., Agents.

Hong Kong, 26th Nov., 1937. [5776]

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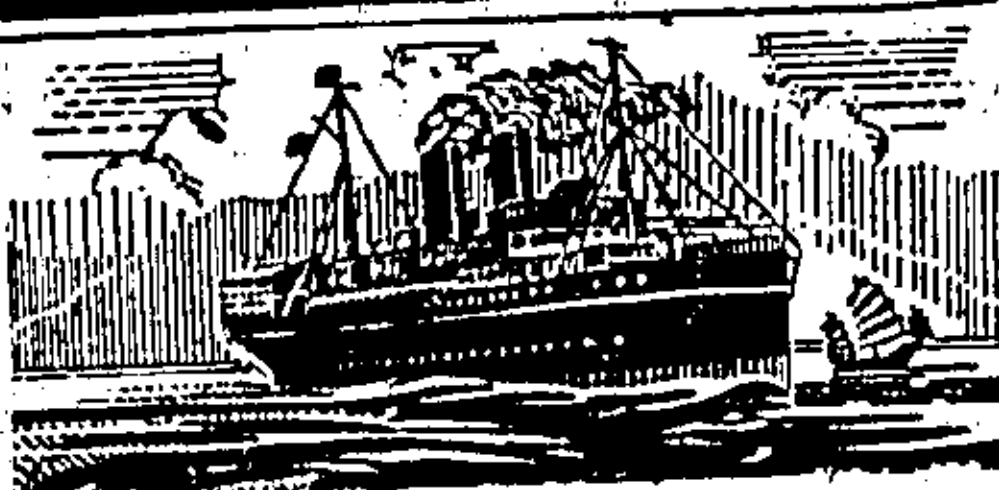
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Ixion, B. & S., Nov. 30.

Klungchow, B. & S., Nov. 30.

Kulmerland, Johnson's, Dec. 15.

Malaya, East Asiatic & Co., Dec. 10.

Marchen Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Mosnon, B. & S., Dec. 19.

Naikin, E. & A. S.S. Co., Dec. 4.

Neckar, Melchers, Dec. 3.

Nelous, B. & S., Dec. 9.

Nojima Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 29.

Pres. Polk, Dollar's, Dec. 4.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Dec. 29.

Pyrrhus, B. & S., Dec. 4.

R.C. Rickmers, Johnson's, Dec. 19.

Ramsey, Johnson's, Dec. 19.

Saale, Melchers, Nov. 29.

Sargapora, B. & S., Dec. 14.

Scharnhorst, Melchers, Dec. 9.

Tai Yang, Thoresen's, Dec. 9.

Talma, B.I. (Apar), Dec. 7.

Tanda, B. & A. S.S. Co., Dec. 1.

Texas, States Co., Dec. 1.

Tilawa, B.I. (Apar), Nov. 30.

Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, Dec. 9.

Tjissak, J.C.J. Line, Dec. 17.

Trave, Melchers, Dec. 8.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 11.

Victoria, Lloyd Triestino, Dec. 11.

Sargapora, B. & S., Nov. 30.

Kulmerland, Johnson's, Dec. 15.

Yusung, Jardine's, Nov. 29.

ADVERTISED SAILING FROM HONG KONG

NORTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN

Amoy.

Kiangsu, B. & S., Nov. 30.

Szechuen, B. & S., Dec. 4.

Kwangtung, B. & S., Dec. 4.

Talma, B.I. (Apar), Dec. 7.

Hai Hing, Thoresen's, Dec. 13.

Sirdhana, B.I. (Apar), Dec. 23.

Chiefoo.

Kwaichang, Jardine's, Nov. 29.

Hangsan, Jardine's, Dec. 1.

Hupei, B. & S., Dec. 3.

Prominent, Jardine's, Dec. 3.

Takung, Jardine's, Dec. 9.

Yunnan, B. & S., Dec. 10.

Fausang, Jardine's, Dec. 12.

Hindenburg, Johnson's, Dec. 15.

Tingsang, Jardine's, Dec. 15.

Dairen.

Patrolus, B. & S., Dec. 5.

Trave, Melchers, Dec. 8.

JAPAN (Direct)

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Titania, Thoresen's, Dec. 2.

Yusung, Jardine's, Dec. 2.

Pyrrhus, B. & S., Dec. 4.

Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., Dec. 7.

Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, Dec. 7.

Trave, Melchers, Dec. 8.

Kumang, Jardine's, Dec. 9.

Talma, B.I. (Apar), Dec. 9.

Chile, East Asiatic & Co., Dec. 10.

Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Dec. 10.

Rawalpindi, P. & O., Dec. 10.

Delagosa Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 12.

Scharnhorst, Melchers, Dec. 12.

Diamond, B. & S., Dec. 13.

Hindenburg, Johnson's, Dec. 13.

Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 14.

Kita Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 17.

Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, Dec. 17.

Kulmerland, Johnson's, Dec. 18.

Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, Dec. 18.

Kittling, Jardine's, Dec. 19.

Sirdhana, B.I. (Apar), Dec. 23.

Corfa, P. & O., Dec. 24.

Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Dec. 24.

Burdwan, P. & O., Dec. 25.

Shanghai.

Chekiang, B. & S., Nov. 29.

Kwaichang, Jardine's, Nov. 29.

Szechuen, B. & S., Nov. 30.

Hangsan, Jardine's, Dec. 1.

Soochow, B. & S., Dec. 1.

Prominent, Jardine's, Dec. 3.

Kwangtung, B. & S., Dec. 4.

Klungchow, B. & S., Dec. 5.

Patrolus, B. & S., Dec. 5.

Victoria, Lloyd Triestino, Dec. 11.

Fausang, Jardine's, Dec. 12.

Tingsang, Jardine's, Dec. 15.

Mosnon, B. & S., Dec. 19.

Swatow.

Kwaichang, Jardine's, Nov. 29.

Hangsan, Jardine's, Dec. 1.

Soochow, B. & S., Dec. 1.

Prominent, Jardine's, Dec. 3.

Hiran, Thoresen's, Dec. 3.

Klungchow, B. & S., Dec. 5.

Yinchow, B. & S., Dec. 5.

Takung, Jardine's, Dec. 9.

Fausang, Jardine's, Dec. 12.

Hai Hing, Thoresen's, Dec. 13.

Hella, Thoresen's, Dec. 14.

Kwaiwan, B. & S., Dec. 14.

Tingsang, Jardine's, Dec. 15.

Taku.

Hindenburg, Johnson's, Dec. 13.

Takao.

Hong Kong Maru, O.S.K., Dec. 17.

Tientsin.

Kwaichang, Jardine's, Nov. 29.

Hangsan, Jardine's, Dec. 1.

Hupei, B. & S., Dec. 3.

Prominent, Jardine's, Dec. 3.

Takung, Jardine's, Dec. 9.

Yunnan, B. & S., Dec. 10.

Fausang, Jardine's, Dec. 12.

Tingsang, Jardine's, Dec. 15.

Tientsin.

Kwaichang, Jardine's, Nov. 29.

Hangsan, Jardine's, Dec. 1.

Hupei, B. & S., Dec. 3.

Prominent, Jardine's, Dec. 3.

Trave, Melchers, Dec. 8.

Takung, Jardine's, Dec. 9.

Yunnan, B. & S., Dec. 10.

Fausang, Jardine's, Dec. 12.

Hindenburg, Johnson's, Dec. 13.

Tingsang, Jardine's, Dec. 15.

Kulmerland, Johnson's, Dec. 15.

EASTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA.

Bahia.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 15.

Bahia.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

Boston and New York.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

Cristobal.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

Havana.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 14.

Hilo.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 14.

Los Angeles.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 14.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Tricolor, Doddwell's, Dec. 18.

Philadelphia.

Wichita, Thoresen's, Nov. 30.

Grete Maersk, Johnson's, Dec. 1.

Keijo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 13.

Bahia.

Neckar, Melchers, Dec. 3.

San Francisco.

Pres. Taft, Dollar's, Nov. 30.

Seattle.

Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, Dec. 7.

Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, Dec. 18.

South America (W.C.).

Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 14.

Vancouver, B.C.

Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Dec. 10.

Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Dec. 24.

Victoria, B.C.

Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, Dec. 7.

Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Dec. 10.

Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, Dec. 18.

Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Dec. 24.

SOUTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East and West.

Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Dec. 1.

Changtse, B. & S., Dec. 17.

Bahia.

Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, Dec. 14.

Bangkok.

Hiran, Thoresen's, Dec. 3.

Yingchow, B. & S., Dec. 3.

Hellat, Thoresen's, Dec. 14.

Kwaiwan, B. & S., Dec. 14.

Batavia.

Tjissak, J.C.J. Line, Nov. 30.

Belawan-Deli.

Saale, Melchers, Nov. 29.

Gneisenau, Melchers, Nov. 30.

Brisbane.

Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Dec. 1.

Changtse, B. & S., Dec. 17.

Cebu.

Texas, States Co., Dec. 1.

Silverwalnut, Furness, Dec. 23.

Davao.

Silverwalnut, Furness, Dec. 23.

Halifax.

Suiyang, B. & S., Dec. 4.

Holm.

Suiyang, B. & S., Dec. 4.

Hongkong.

Muinan, B. & S., Dec. 9.

Madang.

Anking, B. & S., Dec. 16.

Makassar.

Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, Dec. 14.

Manila.

Gneisenau, Melchers, Nov. 30.

Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, Nov. 29.

Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Dec. 1.

Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Dec. 1.

Burgland, Johnson's, Dec. 4.

Pres. Polk, Dollar's, Dec. 5.

Ramsey, Johnson's, Dec. 16.

Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, Dec. 17.

Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Dec. 17.

Victoria, Lloyd Triestino, Dec. 19.

Silverwalnut, Furness, Dec. 23.

Melbourne.

Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Dec. 1.

Changtse, B. & S., Dec. 17.

Fakhol.

Suiyang, B. & S., Dec. 4.

Rabat.

Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Dec. 1.

Salon.

Friderun, Melchers, Dec. 8.

Salamanca.

Friderun, Melchers, Dec. 8.

Sandakan.

Hinsang, Jardine's, Dec. 3.

Semarang.

Tai Suen Hong, Jardine's, Dec. 15.

Singapore.

Tjissak, J.C.J. Line, Nov. 30.

South Sea Islands.

Friderun, Melchers, Dec. 8.

Sydney.

Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Dec. 1.

Thursdays Island.

Changtse, B. & S., Dec. 17.

Townsville.

Changtse, B. & S., Dec. 17.

Tulsi.

Friderun, Melchers, Dec. 8.

WESTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.

Agamemnon, B. & S., Dec. 1.

Bhutan, P. & O., Dec. 4.

Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 4.

Tai Yang, Thoresen's, Dec. 9.

Grootekerk, J.C.J. Line, Dec. 11.

Rajputana, E. & O., Dec. 15.

Sargapora, B. & S., Dec. 18.

Victoria, Lloyd Triestino, Dec. 19.

Rampura, P. & O., Dec. 25.

Algeria.

Tai Yang, Thoresen's, Dec. 9.

Peiping, Gilman's, Dec. 29.

Antwerp.

Saale, Melchers, Nov. 29.

Neckar, Melchers, Dec. 3.

Bhutan, P. & O., Dec. 4.

Burgland, Johnson's, Dec. 4.

Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 4.

Glenfinlas, Jardine's, Dec. 7.

Tai Yang, Thoresen's, Dec. 9.

Grootekerk, J.C.J. Line, Dec. 11.

Ramsey, Johnson's, Dec. 16.

Behar, P.

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TO UNITED STATES
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EMPRESS OF CANADA Dec. 24
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TATSUTA MARU ... Tuesday, 30th Nov.
CHIORIBU MARU ... Monday, 27th Dec.
TAIYO MARU ... 10th Jan.

SEATTLE & VANCOUVER. (Starts From Kobe)

HEIAN MARU ... Monday, 29th Nov.
HIKAWA MARU ... Tuesday, 14th Dec.

NEW YORK via Panama.

+ KEIYO MARU ... Monday, 13th Dec.

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu,
Hilo, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.

BOKUYO MARU ... Tuesday, 14th Dec.
RAKUYO MARU ... 10th Jan.

LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, R'DAM.

HARUNA MARU ... Saturday, 4th Dec.
KATORI MARU ... Saturday, 18th Dec.

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus,
and Marseilles.

+ DURBAN MARU ... 12th Jan.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila and Ports.

ATSUTA MARU ... Sunday, 25th Dec.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.

ANYO MARU ... Friday, 10th Dec.
+ TOYAMA MARU ... Monday, 27th Dec.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.

KOBE AND YOKOHAMA (Omitting Shanghai)

YASUKUNI MARU ... Tuesday, 30th Nov.
+ DELAGUA MARU ... Sunday, 19th Dec.
+ HAKONE MARU ... Friday, 17th Dec.
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AGENTS

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SHIPPING DIRECTORY

Ardent (China Seng Hong), Norwegian
steamer, Captain H. Seiler, 1,101 tons,
arrived Nov. 18 from Bangkok, rice.
Clearance Nov. 26 for Saigon.

Barrwin (M. S. K.), British str.,
Captain A. Hunter, 3,970 tons, arrived
Nov. 25 from Otaru, cargo-coal.
Clearance Nov. 27 for Calcutta.

Bhutan (P. & O. S.N. Co.), British
steamer, left Kobe on Nov. 21, and is
due here on Nov. 30 at about 7 p.m.

Blackthorn (Thoresen & Co.), British
steamer, Captain Reid, 2,702 tons,
arrived on September 9 from Portland.
Lying at North Point.

Canton (M. M. & Co.), French str.,
Captain G. Charlot, 943 tons, arrived
Nov. 27 from Haiphong, general cargo.
Lying at West Point.

Chickling (Butterfield & Swire), British
str., Capt. W. Forster, 1,313 tons,
arrived on November 27 from Saigon.
Lying at West Point.

Conte Rosso (Lloyd Triestino), Italian
steamer, Captain Fabris, 9,909 tons,
arrived November 28 from Shanghai.
Berthing at Kowloon Wharf.

Cornwall (Bank Line), Norwegian
str., Captain O. Carlson, 2,717 tons,
arrived on November 26 from Manila.
Clearance Nov. 27 for Los Angeles.

Emmy (J. M. & Co.), Greek str.,
Captain J. Michalitsianos, 2,474 tons,
arrived at Kowloon Dock.

Empress of Asia (C. P. S.), British
steamer, Capt. G. Gould, 8,883 tons,
arrived at Nagasaki Nov. 28 (Sunday)
at 11 a.m. and left Nagasaki on the
same day at 8 p.m. She is due at Hong
Kong (Wednesday) at 11 a.m. and
leaves Hong Kong for Manila on
the same day at 10 p.m.

Empress of Canada (C. P. S.), British
str., Capt. W. T. Kinley, 11,811 tons,
arrived at Vancouver on November 17
(Wednesday) at 2/4 p.m. and leaves
Vancouver on November 27 (Saturday)
at 11 a.m. She is due at Hong Kong
on December 17 (Friday) at a.m. and
leaves Hong Kong for Manila on the
same day at p.m.

Empress of Russia (C. P. S.), British
str., Capt. T. F. Patrick, 8,739 tons,
left Yokohama on November 20 (Saturday)
at 3 p.m. She is due at Vancouver
on November 29 (Monday) at 2
p.m. and leaves Vancouver for Hong
Kong on December 11 (Saturday) at
11 a.m.

Eng Lee (Yee Tai Hong), Chinese
steamer, Capt. T. Merc, 365 tons,
Lying at Kowloon Dock.

Feng Lee (Yee Tai Hong), Chinese
steamer, Capt. T. Merc, 1,359 tons,
Lying at Kowloon Dock.

Pao Shing (J. M. & Co.), British
steamer, Captain Walter, 1,433 tons,
arrived on November 18 from Saigon.
Mooring at buoy No. 18.

Friderun (Melchers & Co.), German
str., Captain H. Reinhardt, 1,470 tons,
arrived on November 27 from Rabaul.
Berthing at Kowloon Wharf.

Gertrude Maerk (Jensen's), Danish
str., Captain A. Jaeger, 3,155 tons,
Lying at Tai Koo Dock.

G. G. Paul Doumer (M. M. & Co.),
French str., Capt. P. B. Morganti, 774
tons, arrived Nov. 27 from K. C. Wan.
Mooring at buoy No. 11.

Hai Ching (Douglas & Co.), British
str., Capt. H. Farrar, 1,322 tons,
arrived on Nov. 27 from Swatow.
Berthing at Douglas Wharf.

Hai Hing (Thoresen & Co.), Norwegian
str., Capt. E. R. Hannevig, 1,445
tons, arrived Nov. 17 from Swatow.
Mooring at buoy No. B2.

Hai Lee (Thoresen & Co.), Norwegian
steamer, Captain T. Davidson, 2,160
tons, arrived Nov. 24 from Hoihow.
Mooring at buoy No. B11.

Hai Shang (Dodwell & Co.), Chinese
steamer, Captain P. Book, 2,074 tons,
Lying at Stonecutters.

Hai Yu (Dodwell & Co.), Chinese
str., Capt. W. Andreasen, 1,988 tons,
Lying at Stonecutters.

Haidis (Kwong Sang Loong), British
steamer, Captain A. Hall, 1,144
tons, arrived Nov. 27 from Tawau, gen. cargo.
Lying at Yauwatt.

Hang Sang (J. M. & Co.), British
str., Captain T. Wilkinson, 1,356 tons,
arrived Nov. 21 from Tiger Isl., Canton,
Lying at Cosmopolitan Dock.

Hin Sang (J. M. & Co.), British
steamer, Captain Hopkins, 1,885 tons,
arrived November 26 from Sandakan.
Mooring at buoy No. B22.

Hong Kong Maru (O.S.K.), Japanese
steamer, Captain Sato, 1,559 tons,
arrived Nov. 26 from Takao, gen. cargo.
Clearance Nov. 28 for Takao.

Java (East Asiatic & Co.), Danish
steamer, Captain Skjoldum, 5,525 tons,
arrived on November 13 from Kobe.
Mooring at buoy No. 44.

Kamo Maru (N. Y. K.), Japanese
str., Captain Hira, 4,885 tons, arrived
Nov. 26 from Nagasaki, general cargo.
Clearance on the same day for Manila.

Kiangsu (Butterfield & Swire), British
str., Captain R. Allison, 1,555 tons,
arrived Nov. 16 from Amoy, gen. cargo.
Lying at Tai Koo Dock.

Kwai Sang (J. M. & Co.), British
str., Capt. M. Costello, 1,435 tons,
arrived on November 27 from Canton.
Mooring at buoy No. B2.

Lycemson (Wee Fat Sing), British
steamer, Capt. E. Holmes, 1,734 tons,
arrived on November 24 from Saigon.
Clearance November 27 for Saigon.

Malaya (East Asiatic & Co.), Danish
steamer, Capt. G. Nielsen, 5,512 tons,
arrived Oct. 31 from Manila, gen. cargo.
Mooring at buoy No. A16.

Marion Miller (A.R. Gerondal), British
str., Capt. W. S. Fowler, 2,440
tons, arrived on Nov. 25 from Sabang.
Lying at Kowloon Dock.

Mui Hock (East Asiatic & Co.), Nor-
wegian str., Capt. P. Ellertsen, 1,305
tons, arrived Nov. 23 from Sabang.
Clearance November 28 for Hongkong.

Nanting (Butterfield & Swire), British
str., Capt. E. W. Richards, 1,480 tons,
arrived November 25 from Foochow.
Lying at North Point.

Paula (A. P. C.), Dutch steamer,
Captain A. J. Moerman, 1,319 tons,
arrived on November 18 from Amoy.
Lying at Lai Chi Kok.

Produce (Texas & Co.), Norwe-
gian str., Captain E. Whittens, 743
tons, arrived Nov. 14 from Macao.
Lying at Stonecutters.

Prominent (J. M. & Co.), Norwegian
str., Capt. G. Jertsen, 1,377 tons,
arrived on Nov. 12 from Chinwangtao.
Lying at Lai Chi Kok.

Promise (K. Larsen & Co.), Norwe-
gian steamer, Capt. Meling, 727 tons,
arrived November 10 from Samarinda.
Lying at Yauwatt.

Pronto (C.M.S.N. Co.), Norwegian
steamer, Capt. B. Moller, 1,283 tons,
arrived on November 21 from Macao.
Clearance Nov. 27 for Macao.

Proteus (Hing Feng Mei Hong),
Norwegian str., Capt. Bugge, 1,025
tons, arrived Nov. 14 from Swatow.
Mooring at buoy No. C1.

Ruby Castle (Dodwell & Co.), British
str., Capt. W. H. Trellow, 3,078 tons,
arrived Nov. 21 from San Francisco.
Clearance November 28 for Cheribon.

Ranchi (P. & O. S.N. Co.), British
str., Capt. J. A. Smith, 8,849 tons,
arrived Nov. 24 from Yokohama via Kobe.
Clearance Nov. 27 for Singapore.

Scarlaria (A. P. C.), British steamer,
Capt. C. Asquith, 3,435 tons, arrived
Oct. 23 from Dairen, cargo-fuel oil.
Lying at North Point.

Shanlung (B. & S.), British str.,
Capt. J. Whyte, 1,568 tons, arrived
Nov. 21 from Swatow, general cargo.
Mooring at buoy No. B20.

Shun Chih (Wee Fat Sing), British
steamer, Capt. W. Lee, 1,172 tons,
arrived on November 10 from Hoihow.
Mooring at buoy No. C1.

Soudan (P. & O. S.N. Co.), British
str., Capt. C. L. Collings, 3,477 tons,
arrived November 27 from Singapore.
Clearance on Nov. 28 for Kobe.

Szechuen (Butterfield & Swire), British
str., Captain J. Atkins, 1,219 tons,
arrived on November 27 from Hoihow.
Mooring at buoy No. B14.

Tai Poo Sek (Tui Fung & Co.),
French str., Capt. J. Bonnamour, 1,219
tons, arrived Nov. 25 from K. C. Wan.
Clearance Nov. 27 for K. C. Wan.

Talamba (M. M. & Co.), British str.,
Captain D. R. C. Sinclair, 3,244 tons,
Lying at Tai Koo Dock.

CLEARANCES

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 28.

Hong Kong Maru for Takao.

Tamara for Manila.

Ruby Castle for Cheribon.

Soudan for Kobe.

Mui Hock for Hongkong.

Yachow for Shanghai.

Tasman for Singapore.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27

Ranchi for Singapore.

Von Heutz for Singapore.

Cornwall for Los Angeles.

Pronto for Macao.

Tijsondori for Shanghai.

Tai Poo Sek for K. C. Wan.

Eyemou for Saigon.

Barrwin for Calcutta.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26.

Kamo Maru for Manila.

Ardent for Saigon.

Tamara (Gilman & Co.), Swedish str.,
Capt. R. W. Ahlberg, 3,834 tons, arrived
Nov. 27 from Keelung, general cargo.
Clearance Nov. 28 for Manila.

Tasman (J. C. J. Line), Dutch str.,
Captain J. R. Brinkers, 3,173 tons, ar-
rived Nov. 27 from Saigon, gen. cargo.
Clearance Nov. 28 for Singapore.

Tilava (B.L. & Apen Line), British
str., will leave Amoy on November 29,
and is due here on November 30.
Clears on or about Thursday, December
2 at 10.30 a.m. for Singapore, Port
Swettenham, Penang, Rangoon and
Calcutta.

Tijsondori (J.C.J. Line), Dutch str.,
Captain W. T. H. Burger, 5,019 tons,
arrived on November 26 from Muntok.
Clearance Nov. 27 for Shanghai.

Twedbank (Bank Line), British str.,
Capt. R. Ryan Ellis, 3,412 tons arrived
Nov. 26 from Manila, general cargo.
Mooring at buoy No. A3.

Unita (Dodwell & Co.), Norwegian
steamer, Capt. H. Kvanne, 2,345 tons,
Lying at Lai Chi Kok.

Varianus (A. P. C.), Norwegian
steamer, Capt. F. Larsen, 1,819 tons,
Lying at North Point.

Van Heutz (J. C. J. Line), Dutch
str., Captain G. A. Berus, 2,740 tons,
arrived Nov. 26 from Amoy, gen. cargo.
Clearance Nov. 27 for Singapore.

Yingchow (B. & S.), British str.,
Captain W. A. Orwin, 1,216 tons,
arrived on Nov. 25 from Haiphong.
Mooring at buoy No. B1.

Yochow (Butterfield & Swire), British
steamer, Captain D. Wilson, 1,630 tons,
arrived on November 23 from Tsingtau.
Clearance Nov. 28 for Shanghai.

Yolanda (Wallen & Co.), French
str., Capt. D. E. Birtin, 2,384 tons,
arrived Nov. 6 from Dairen, gen. cargo.
Lying at Stonecutters.

ARRIVALS

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 28

Conte Rosso, Italian steamer, Captain
Fabris, 9,909 tons, from Shanghai,
berthing at Kowloon Wharf—
Lloyd Triestino.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27.

Canton, French steamer, Captain G.
Charlot, 976 tons, from Haiphong,
general cargo, lying at West Point.
—M. M. & Co.

Chickling, British steamer, Captain
W. Forster, 1,313 tons, from
Saigon, general cargo, mooring at
West Point.—B. & S.

Friderun, German steamer, Captain
H. Reinhardt, 1,470 tons, from
Rabaul, general cargo, berthing
at Kowloon Wharf.—Melchers &
Co.

G. G. Paul Doumer, French steamer,
Captain P. B. Morganti, 734 tons,
from Kwang Chow Wan, general
cargo, mooring at buoy No. C1—
M. M. & Co.

Hai Ching, British steamer, Captain
O. H. Farrar, 1,322 tons, from
Swatow, general cargo, berthing
at Douglas Wharf.—Douglas &
Co.

Haidis, British steamer, Captain A.
Hall, 1,144 tons, from Tawau,
general cargo, lying at Yauwatt—
Kwong Sang Loong.

Kwai Sang, British steamer, Cap-
tain M. Costello, 1,435 tons, from
Tiger Island (Canton), mooring at
buoy No. B2.—Jardine, Matheson
& Co.

Soudan, British steamer, Captain C. L.
Collings, 3,477 tons, from Singapore,
general cargo, berthing at Kowloon
Wharf.—M. M. & Co.

Szechuen, British steamer, Captain
J. Atkins, 1,219 tons, from
Hoihow, general cargo, mooring
at buoy No. B14.—B. & S.

Tamara, Swedish steamer, Captain
R. W. Ahlberg, 3,834 tons, from
Keelung, general cargo, berthing
at buoy No. A4.—Gilman & Co.

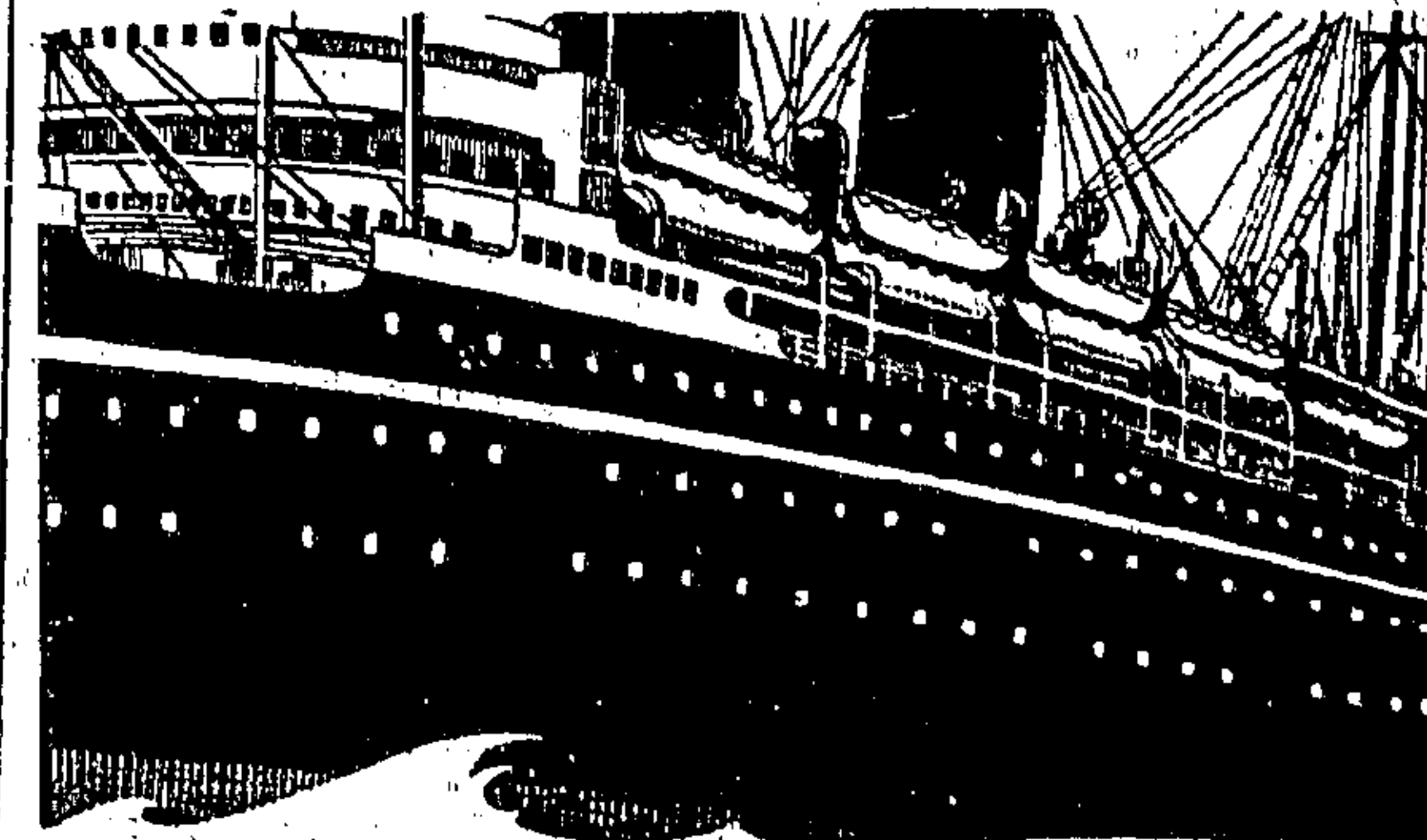
Tasman, Dutch steamer, Captain J. R.
Brinkers, 3,173 tons, from Saigon,
general cargo, mooring at buoy
No. A16.—J. C. J. Line.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26.

Hang Sang, British steamer, Captain
T. Wilkinson, 1,356 tons, from
Tiger Island (Canton), lying at
Cosmopolitan Dock.—J. M. & Co.

Pronto, Norwegian steamer, Captain
B. J. Moller, 1,283 tons, from
Macao, lying at Lai Chi Kok—
E. Larsen & Co.

Yingchow, British steamer, Captain
W. A. Orwin, 1,216 tons, from
Haiphong, general cargo, mooring
at buoy No. B1.—B. & S.

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RAWALPINDI	17,000	8th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
*CORFU	14,000	22nd Jan.	do
*BURDWAN	5,000	29th Jan.	B'bay, Mars, Havre, Ldon, H'bg, R'dam, A'werp, & Hull.
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